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LOSS OF THE ARCTIC!!

Collision Between the Steamer and a Propeller off Cape Race.

Apprehensions of the Loss of All but Thirty-two Persons.

Arrival of a Survivor at This Port.

At a late hour last night we received terrible news of the steamship *Arctic*. We hope it is unfounded, but still the reports that reached us were so straightforward as to justify the most serious apprehensions.

At midnight, a gentleman by the name of BURNS, who was a cabin passenger on board the *Arctic*, when she sailed from Liverpool, arrived in this City from Sandy Hook, having been taken off the bark *Huron*, which vessel received a boat's crew of *thirty-two persons* from the *Arctic*.

Mr. BURNS' account of the catastrophe was hastily gathered. He states that when the *Arctic* had arrived off Cape Race, she became enveloped in a heavy fog, and while in this situation, *came into violent collision with a propeller*, name unknown, and that the force with which the two vessels came together was such as to cause the almost instant destruction of the steamer.

The passengers had not time to escape from the cabins; for although the catastrophe occurred at midday the fog was so dense as to render objects imperceptible at the shortest distance. The survivor who has reached this City gives it as his opinion that he is *the only cabin passenger who has escaped*.

Immediately upon the *Arctic's* sinking condition being discovered, the crew manned a lifeboat, and *thirty-two persons* (including Mr. BURNS) entered it. Whether any other of the crew or passengers succeeded in making their escape, it is at present impossible to say. The most lively apprehensions, however, are entertained that the whole of the crew and passengers of the ill-fated steamer, with the exception of this boat-load, were lost.

Yet, as we said before, it is to be fervently hoped that these apprehensions will prove entirely false. We must await further tidings with what patience we may.

The survivors who put off from the ship were picked up, after floating for some hours, by the bark *Huron*, bound for this port. They are now on board that vessel. Mr. BURNS left the *Huron* when about sixty miles from port, and came on to the City in a pilot-boat. He arrived at the St. Nicholas at midnight, completely exhausted, and retired immediately to rest.

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.

THE NEWS CONFIRMED.

TOTAL LOSS OF THE ARCTIC

Three to Four Hundred Lives Supposed to be Lost.

Loss of the British Steam Propeller Charity

A REGIMENT OF BRITISH TROOPS LOST.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 11—9 o'CLOCK A. M.

Additional particulars of the loss of the ARCTIC fully confirm the harrowing accounts of the catastrophe to that vessel.

THE STEAMER IS A TOTAL LOSS, AND THERE IS A CONSIDERABLE LOSS OF THREE HUNDRED OR FOUR HUNDRED LIVES. Captain LUCE, the wife, daughter and son of E. K. COLLINS, Mr. SANDERS, and many citizens of this City, besides more than three hundred of the passengers and crew, have met a watery grave.

The *Arctic* left Liverpool on the 29th ult., having 200 adult passengers, a crew numbering 175, a heavy mail, and a valuable freight.

The following is the statement of Mr. EDWARD H. BURNS, the gentleman who reached this City last evening, as mentioned above. Mr. BURNS was the Express Messenger of ADAMS & Co., on board the *Arctic*. He has given a graphic account of the terrible event.

STATEMENT OF MR. BURNS.

The steamship *Arctic*, with 225 passengers, exclusive of children, 175 employés, a valuable cargo and heavy mail, is lost. Of more than 400 souls who left Liverpool on the 29th ult., full of life, energy and health, many returning from a long visit to their native land, certainly not more than 100 can, by any possibility, have escaped a watery grave.

In addition to all this, another large steamer, freighted with a hundred or fifty souls, has, in all probability, met a like fate. The details of the terrible disaster are following:

On Wednesday, September 27, precisely at 12 o'clock M., in a dense fog, we came in contact with a dark rigged propeller, with black hull, salmon colored bottom, lead colored poop and boats, and black pipe. She was bound eastward, and had all cast set, with a strong, fair wind. The speed of the *Arctic* at the time was about thirteen knots an hour. The shock appeared to us slight, but the damage to the other vessel was frightful.

Capt. LUCE instantly ordered the quarter boats cleared away, and the chief mate, boatswain and three sailors went to her relief; before other boats left the order was countermanded. The *Arctic* then described a circle twice round the wreck, during which time I caught a glimpse of more than two hundred people clustered on her luxurious deck.

At this juncture it was first ascertained that we had sustained injury, and the water was pouring in at our bows. When the first officer came alongside to report, the Captain was unable to take him up, but headed N. N. W. in the hope of making land. Our position on the previous day, at 12 o'clock, was latitude 46° 29', longitude 45° 27'. We had run about three hundred and ten miles from the time of this observation until the moment of collision, and were supposed to be forty miles from Cape Race.

The pumps were vigorously worked, and an anchor chain thrown overboard; but, in spite of all exertion, the engines stopped, and the water extinguished the fires. Four of the five other life-boats believed to have been well provisioned, containing the engineers, officers, a few passengers, and all the officers except the captain and third mate, left the ship at an early stage. The majority of the passengers were working at the pumps—some firing the signal guns, and others launching spars, under the direction of Capt. LUCE and Mr. DOZIAR, the third mate, to form a raft.

In order to facilitate this latter work the sixth and last boat was lowered. DOZIAR, one or two firemen, three of the other passengers saved, and myself, were busily engaged lashing water casks and settees to the main yard, two topgallant yards, and several smaller spars—the Captain, with a number of gentlemen, protecting the work by keeping back the crowd—when a panic seized all on board, a rush was made, passengers and firemen precipitated themselves headlong over the bulwarks on to the raft, and in a moment our little boat was full, and in imminent danger of being sunk.

In this emergency, DOZIAR ordered the rope which held us to the steamer to be cut, and with our hands and axes we paddled from the raft's side. The mate, who throughout preserved great presence of mind, and labored with heroic energy, cried out: "For God's sake, Captain, clear the raft, so that we can work. I won't desert the ship while there's timber above water."

But the sea was now flush with the dead-lights. In less than three minutes from the time he spoke, the storm sunk—the foam went boiling over the tumbling heap of human beings—many were dashed forward against the pipe. I heard one wild yell, (still ringing in my ears,) and saw the *Arctic* and the struggling mass rapidly engulfed. Numbers yet clung to the imperfectly constructed raft; but, alas, we could render them no aid. Our own situation was no less precarious, and, great as it seemed, we were forced to abandon them to fate. Heaven forbid that I should ever witness such another scene.

We however picked up two more men, and then, with an overloaded boat, without oars, blankets, food or drink, avoided with difficulty the fragments of the wreck, and pitching many dead females, prepared for a night upon the ocean. We secured a floating pumpkin and cabbage to guard against immediate starvation, lashed a spar to the bow of our boat to keep her head to the wind and sea, and then drifted until daylight; the night was cold and foggy, with a heavy swell, and, in a cramped, drenched and half-naked condition, we suffered terribly.

Without dwelling upon our miseries, alleviated much by the consciousness that we had endeavored to do our duty to our fellow men, suffice it to say that at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of the 29th we espied a sail, and raised a handkerchief to attract attention. We were successful. With the rude substitute for oars which we had constructed during the day by lashing planks to capstan bars, with a view of attempting to gain land when the sea subsided, we pulled towards the ship. On our way we passed the remains of the raft, with one man on it apparently alive.

The bark proved to be the *Huron*, of St. Andrews, N. B., Capt. A. WALL, bound for Quebec. Our men safe on board, the noble hearted DOZIAR, with some of the *Huron's* crew, returned to the raft and rescued the poor fellow who for twenty-six hours had clung to the spars. He states that after the steamship sunk, he counted seventy-two men and four women on the raft, but at 6½ o'clock he was the only one alive. In the morning two bodies were beside him, much eaten by fishes, and at the time he saw our boat he was on the point of voluntarily dropping into the sea to end his agony. Coming from the raft DOZIAR encountered and examined the life-car of the *Arctic*. It contained a bottle of water, some cheese and a lady's garment.

By the humane Captain of the *Huron*, WM. KINGTON CARRON, a son of the owner, we were received with great kindness; our wounds dressed, our hurdles, and food and clothing provided in abundance. During the night of the 29th, Capt. WALL hung out extra lights, fired rockets, and kept a horn blowing, in hopes of falling in with the remainder of the boats. But his endeavors were fruitless. On the evening of the 30th we spoke the ship *Lebanon*, Capt. STORY, bound for New-York, by whom eighteen of our number were taken off, kindly welcomed and well treated.

We have this moment reached New-York by pilot boat GEORGE *Berry*, No. 16, to which we were transferred from the *Lebanon*, and to the crew of which we were under great obligations.

The fate of the propeller and our five boats is unknown. If the steamer was in Liverpool, I think the *Charity* from Montreal to Liverpool, also as I believe, built with water-tight compartments, or bulkheads, and with boats, notwithstanding the damage to her bows. The fact that a boat left her, which was repaired by one paddle, seems well for her buoyant condition, though Capt. WALL, of the *Huron*, on the morning of the 30th, saw a singular looking craft far to leeward, but was unable to tell whether she was a steamer or sailing vessel.

He says she had a somewhat of appearance, and may have been the vessel of the propeller. The following is a list of those saved in the sixth boat:

Taken to Quebec by the Huron.

James Alay, ship's cook.
Luke McCarthy, fireman.
Joseph Connolly, fireman.
Richard Mahon, fireman.
Thomas Conroy, fireman.
James Gunney, fireman.
John Drury, fireman.
Christian Moore, fireman.
James Ward, fireman.
Christopher Colsher, fireman.
Thomas Wilson, Assistant Engineer.
Robert Bryan, waiter.
David Barry, waiter.
Ernesten Miller, waiter.

Arrived on this Port in the Lebanon.

Edward Brian, fireman.
Patrick Maher, fireman.
Thomas Garland, fireman.
Patrick Casey, fireman.
Patrick Tobin, fireman.
Dobbin Cannegan, fireman.
Thomas Scanlan, Assistant Engineer.
John Connolly, Engineer's Steward.
Thomas Stanton, Officers' Steward.
James Carragher, Purser.
Michael McLoughlin, boy.
Peter McCabe, (picked off the raft,) waiter.
Wm. Nicolls, Trimmer, Scilly Island, passenger.
Henry Jenkins, Scilly Island, passenger.
James Thompson, New-Orleans, passenger.
Capt. Paul F. Green, New-York, passenger.
Geo. H. Evans, Philadelphia, passenger.
Francis Dorian, New-York, Third Officer.

NAMES OF PERSONS KNOWN TO BE IN THE SHIP'S BOATS.

The five boats which may have reached land or been picked up, are known to have contained:

Mr. Gurney, First Officer.
Thomas Wilde, Boatswain.
Mr. Bolton, Second Officer.
Mr. Grahame, Fourth Officer.
Mr. Moore, New-York, passenger.
Mr. Rogers, Chief Engineer.
Mr. Brown, First Assistant.
Mr. Walker, Second do.
Mr. Willett, Third do.
Daniel Connolly, Fireman.
John Moran, do.
John Flanagan, do.
Patrick McCauley, do.
Mr. Dingwal, Engineer.
Mr. Kelly, do.
Mr. Timpson, do.

And a young man named Robinson, under instructions in the Engineer's department, besides sailors and quartermasters.

Among those whom I last saw on the quarter-deck, whilst fastening life preservers on the females, who must have sunk with the ship or perished on the raft, were Capt. LUCE and son, Mrs. E. K. Collins, Master C. Collins, Miss Collins, Mr. Brown and family, (connection of the senior of the firm of Brown, Shipley & Co., Liverpool,) Mr. Thomas, importer of hosiery, New-York; Mr. Adams, Brooklyn; Mr. Bowen, and C. Springer, Cincinnati; Mr. J. Muirhead, Jr. Petersburg, Va.; Mr. Hewitt, Mrs. Hewitt and daughter, Fredericksburg, Va.; Mr. Wood, New-York; Mr. Yeakle, Mr. Schmidt, Miss Morton, Falmouth, England; a nephew of Mr. Bloodgood, hotel-keeper, Philadelphia, residing in Albany; the Duke de Grammont, of the French Embassy; 2nd steward, wife and child; Annie, a colored girl, and Mary, stewardesses; Miss Jones, Mr. Petrie and lady, Stewart Hollin, Washington, D. C.; J. Cook, Opelousas, La.; with many more whose names I did not know, but whose features are indelibly imprinted on my memory.

A Mr. COMSTOCK, brother to the commander of the *Baltic*, was drowned by the capsizing of a boat whilst being lowered.

Government dispatches from France and England, entrusted to my care by Mr. BUCHANAN, I could not save.

The boat in which we escaped was one of Francis' patent metallic, No. 737, from which her capacity can be ascertained, compared with the number rescued. Respectfully,

GEO. H. BURNS, Adams & Co. Express,

New-York, Oct. 10, 1854. Philadelphia.

The following is a correct list of the passengers on board the *Arctic*. It was received by the *Canada*, recently arrived from Liverpool:

M. Duponnis and friend,	Mrs. and Miss Stone,
E. Booth,	M. A. Stone,
J. Bowen,	M. Stockton,
M. Grant, lady and child,	E. Stockton,
T. B. Jones,	Mrs. J. Lindsay,
J. G. Smith,	Miss Ramsay,
Miss Jane Morton,	F. Johnson,
Miss Smith,	O. Nephew, Jr.,
W. R. Brown and lady,	C. Parin and lady,
Miss Marie Brown,	Mrs. Perrin,
N. Talcott and lady,	Edward Sandford, Esq., of
C. T. Mitchell,	New-York,
M. Schmidt, Jr.,	B. C. Wood,
H. De Mayer,	J. Zulueta,
J. B. Cooke,	M. Milville,
A. Bacon,	S. Jeffords,
W. P. Rathbone,	G. Barton,
M. Guyaets, 2 children and servant,	C. F. Allen, lady, infant and servant,
M. Burns,	W. B. Browne, infant and servant,
M. H. Day,	R. S. Williams and lady,
Mrs. Day and daughter,	D. Cannon,
M. Delorale, friend and son,	W. Brown,
Mrs. C. McCracken,	M. Berney,
Mrs. Scott,	E. Le Roy Newbould,
M. Merlet,	Miss Stewart,
Mrs. Edward K. Collins, of New-York,	Miss Blasdel,
Miss M. A. Collins, N. York,	W. Jackson,
C. Collins, New-York,	W. Christie,
M. Woodruff and lady, New York,	W. W. Gilbert and servt,
M. North,	H. H. Keen,
M. Yeoni,	W. Reed,
A. Benedict and lady,	C. C. Springer,
C. Fabricotti,	M. Wagner,
J. R. Hogg,	G. Gayner, lady and child,
M. Dawson and lady,	C. Hirsch, lady and servt.,
Miss Benjamin,	M. Howell and lady,
Mrs. Hopes and son,	Mr. Hinds and friend,
Mr. Clifford and daughter,	Mr. Wallace,
Miss Revel,	Mr. Wilson,
Miss Brenton,	Miss Major, friend and child,
Mrs. Rowland and son,	M. Ravenscroft,
J. W. Gale, lady and servt.,	S. M. Woodruff,
M. Glass,	J. Young,
J. Lynch and lady,	M. Barber,
M. Adams,	J. Thompson,
M. Brady,	Mrs. Bryan,
F. Cutherwood,	T. Lieutenant,
J. J. Darrill,	M. Frost,
Mr. Hilger and friend,	M. Stanton,
M. Hollins,	Mrs. M. Hodgson and child,
M. Morse,	Miss Ford,
C. St. John,	J. Tyler,
C. Morris,	W. Shoemaker,
W. W. Comstock,	T. Shoemaker, lady and two children,
M. Furniss,	M. Whitehorn,
J. Smith and lady,	S. Colton,
M. McGlynn,	M. Gallison,
R. Medicus,	Miss Mitchell,
H. Jenkins,	Miss Hay,
M. Schmidt,	E. Arbusto,
M. Waring,	Y. Coop,
Captain D. Pratt and lady,	W. Ferguson,
H. F. Stuart,	M. Lawton, friend, two children and three children,
Duc de Grammont and servant,	E. Hillsmer,
M. Major and friend,	A. Gurck,
Mrs. Major, infant and child,	Miss A. Law,
Miss Dunn,	T. Bowman and son,
Mrs. Drew,	M. McDonald,
Miss Jones,	H. Blanchard,
Miss Jones,	M. Blanchard and friend,
J. Meinhard,	J. McMath,
James Smith,	Mrs. Ridge and friends,
M. Bedford and friend,	M. Colgar and lady,
G. Brown,	W. Nicols,
M. Menzies,	E. Fass and friends,
H. Cook,	magnetic and infant,
C. Christiana and friend,	M. Frank,
F. W. Green,	F. Shine,
T. Rogers,	M. Collins,
G. Dodds,	M. Brock and son,
M. Pentre and four friends,	M. Stevens,
M. Wilson and friend,	Mrs. Craig—Total, 153.
M. Meyer,	

Withstanding the ship that run into the *Arctic* our informant is mistaken. She is advertised to leave Quebec on the 20th inst. It is possible that it was one of the Liverpool and Quebec line of steamers, and as these vessels have recently taken British troops on their home passages, we fear that in this case an entirely fine has overtaken them, and that another long list of victims is to be added to that given above.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE

By Telegraph to the New-York Daily Times.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Army Regulations—Promotion of Non-Commissioned Officers—Pennsylvania Election.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Daily Times.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The War Department has issued orders establishing regulations for carrying out the provisions of the Act of August last, relative to the promotion of Non-commissioned Officers. An Army Board to examine the candidates for promotion, is to meet here every September. Colonels are to recommend candidates deserving promotion from education, conduct and services. The candidates must be unmarried and aged between twenty and thirty-eight. They will be examined in English Grammar, Writing, Arithmetic, Geometry, Geography, Popular Astronomy, History and the Constitution.

The first general examination is to take place on the first Monday of January next, excepting such candidates as are serving in New-Mexico. They will be examined on the first Monday of June. As a general rule, one-fourth of the vacancies occurring will be filled by the promotion of non-commissioned officers.

There is great excitement and anxiety here relative to the Pennsylvania election.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The amount of public debt redeemed last week reached $30,000.

The Union of this morning continues the war in relation to General CASS. It declares, in reply to the Richmond *Enquirer*, that it has made no effort to bring forward any individual for the Presidential succession, and will not do so, but stand prepared to give the nominee of the National Convention a hearty support.

A bill to increase the licenses to grocers selling spirituous liquors, to the extent of $20 additional, passed both Houses last night.

The total amount of drafts on the Treasury last week, reached $639,000.

A stabbing case occurred here this morning between two Americans, one a Baltimorean, the other a Philadelphian. The latter made the first assault, when the former stabbed him, inflicting a deep wound about six inches long, but not mortal. The Baltimorean has been lodged in jail.

THE ELECTIONS.

Pennsylvania Election.

HARRISBURG, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

POLLOCK, the Whig candidate for Governor, has 333 majority, which is a large gain.

PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

Dauphin Co.—POLLOCK's majority in this county is estimated at 1,500.

York Borough—York, 330 majority for POLLOCK—gain, 2.

Carbon Co.—POLLOCK's majority in Mauch Chunk borough is 92. In Northampton District, BIGLER's majority is 50.

Berks Co.—In Doylestown, POLLOCK's majority, 11, and H. L. MOTT, Democratic and Know-Nothing candidate for Canal Commissioner, 134 majority; J. H. BLACK, Democratic candidate for Judge of Supreme Court, 35 majority. All these are Whig gains.

PITTSBURG, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

In this city, POLLOCK has 1,202 majority; a Whig gain of 500.

In Allegheny city, POLLOCK's majority is 850, and he gains 20 in five districts. The County gain for POLLOCK is 350. These gains are based on the Governor's vote of 1851, when JOHNSON had 2,600.

PITTSBURG—3 A. M.

Lawrence County: In Newcastle, POLLOCK's majority is 200. In four townships the majority for POLLOCK is 463.

Erie City gives BIGLER 850 majority. Crawford County: In Meadville, POLLOCK's majority is 147. H. S. MOTT, Democratic and Know-Nothing candidate for Canal Commissioner, 74 majority.

Carbon County gives BIGLER about 100 majority, being a Democratic loss of 400.

SECOND DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday, Oct. 10—11:15 P. M.

The election passed off very quietly. No disturbances occurred. There are no returns yet received that indicate the result. FLORENCE, Democratic candidate for Congress, is probably elected in the first district.

Lancaster Co.—POLLOCK's majority in five townships is 120. BIGLER's majority in the County is somewhat reduced. FULLER, Whig, is most likely elected to Congress in the twelfth district. The returns indicate by 500 majority.

Northampton Co.—Easton Borough gives 273 majority for POLLOCK.

Schuylkill Co.—BIGLER's majority is reported to be about 2,000, a gain of 1,300 over 1851.

Altona, Blair Co., four districts, POLLOCK's gain, 431. His majority in the whole County will be 1,500.

THIRD DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday, Oct. 10—12½ P. M.

Philadelphia City—In the Fourteenth Ward, POLLOCK's majority is 1,000; a gain of about 200. In the Twentieth Ward his majority is 126.

Huntingdon Co.—POLLOCK's majority in Huntingdon Borough is 57. It is estimated his majority in the County is 600.

Luzerne Co.—This County shows a considerable Whig gain, and POLLOCK will probably carry the County. H. M. FULLER, Whig, for Congress, gains 600 as far as heard from in the Twelfth District, over WRIGHT, the Democratic candidate and present member.

Lehigh Co.—The whole Democratic ticket is defeated in this County. It gave BIGLER 300 majority last year.

FOURTH DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday, Oct. 10—1½ A. M.

Philadelphia City—The Seventh Ward gives 300 majority for BIGLER, a large Democratic gain. Tenth Ward, POLLOCK's majority 900; Thirteenth Ward, majority for POLLOCK 500; Fifteenth Ward, majority for POLLOCK, 64; Ninth Ward, POLLOCK's majority, 396; Fourth Ward, 647 majority for BIGLER.

Reading, Berks Co., gives POLLOCK 326 majority—a large Whig gain.

Westmoreland Co.—It is reported that this County gives 1,000 majority for BIGLER. At the last Gubernatorial election it gave him 2,600.

PHILADELPHIA, 2 A. M.

In the Second Congressional District Jos R. TYSON, the regular Whig candidate is elected over HAMILTON, Democrat, and CHANDLER, independent Whig.

Nothing is yet known as to the result of the vote throughout the State on the Prohibition Liquor Law. There is a large majority for the measure in this city.

In Wayne County BIGLER's majority is 900; Monroe County, 250 majority for BIGLER; Union County, 1,500 majority for POLLOCK; Lycoming County gives 600 majority for POLLOCK; Clinton County, POLLOCK's majority, 200; Centre County, POLLOCK, 300.

BIGLER's majority in Berks County is 4,000—a loss of 800 since the last Gubernatorial election. In Carbon County, Ami FAGUNS, Democratic candidate for Congress in the Thirteenth District, is elected by 300 majority. These other Counties in this District are strongly Democratic.

BIGLER's majority in York County is about 600, being a loss of 400 as compared with the last Gubernatorial election.

FIFTH DISPATCH.

PHILADELPHIA—2 A. M.

In sixteen townships of Berks County POLLOCK gains 800 over the vote of 1851. The County has probably gone for POLLOCK. MOTT, Democratic and Know-Nothing candidate for Canal Commissioner, has 1,600 majority in the County.

S. C. BRADSHAW, Whig, is probably elected to Congress in the Seventh District.

Ohio Election.

CLEVELAND, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

EDWARD WADE is probably elected from the Nineteenth District, by 4,000 majority, and the State Republican or anti-Nebraska ticket carried by 1,000 majority.

CINCINNATI, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The election passed off quietly to-day, and it is considered on all hands that the American Reform ticket is elected in this city and county by a large majority.

South Carolina Election.

CHARLESTON, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

It is believed Mr. MONDERAT, who is charged with being a Know-Nothing, is elected Senator from Charleston.

Hon. JOHN L. PRESTON is elected Senator from this district.

Florida Election.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Monday, Oct. 9.

We have a few details of the Florida election. Leon County gives MAXWELL, Democrat, for Congress, 90 majority; Wakulla gives him 30 majority; Jefferson, 242 majority; and Madison, 60. He is elected by about 500 majority. The Legislature is Democratic.

Newark Charter Election.

NEWARK, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The Charter election in this city took place to-day, and created a degree of interest seldom felt at general elections. About 1,000 votes were polled, and the returns which have reached us up to 12 o'clock indicate the election of HORACE POWER, the Whig and Know-Nothing candidate for Mayor, by a majority of 1,200 votes over FREDERICK W. SMITH, the Democratic candidate. The Whigs and Know-Nothing have literally swept the city, and the air is ringing with their victorious shouts.

The Second Ward gives POWER 310 majority, and the Eighth Ward, (formerly Democratic,) has given 123 majority for POWER, and elected the Whig Alderman by seven majority over the present incumbent.

The Third Ward gives POWER 223 majority, and elects the Whig Alderman by a large majority. The Fourth Ward gives 303 majority for POWER. The Fifth and Seventh Wards, hitherto strongly Democratic, are tied. The Common Council will be strongly Whig. The victory is a great triumph for the cause of Temperance.

No Tidings of the Steamers.

HALIFAX, Wednesday, Oct. 11—4 A. M.

The weather, which, for a week or ten days past, has been unusually fine, indicates the approach of a storm from the northeast.

The steamer from Newfoundland is now two days over due, and her arrival is anxiously looked for, under the belief that she may possibly bring some tidings of the missing steamer *Arctic*.

The steamer *Europa*, with Liverpool dates of Sept. 30, is now momentarily expected, but as yet has not been signalled.

Court of Appeals.

ALBANY, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

In the Court of Appeals this morning, case No. 103 was submitted; 99 argued—96 struck off, and 102 concluded; 78 submitted; 77 argued.

The Court then announced that no more arguments would be heard.

Mortality in New-Orleans—The Steamship Cahawba.

NEW-ORLEANS, Monday, Oct. 9.

The total number of deaths during the past week in this city was 358, including 207 from Yellow Fever.

The steamship *Cahawba* sailed to-day for New-York and Havana, with 1,100 bales of Cotton, and $250,000 in specie.

Destruction of a Mississippi Steamer by Fire—Several Lives Lost.

NEW-ORLEANS, Monday, Oct. 9.

The steamer *Princess*, belonging to this city, was destroyed by fire near Natchez yesterday, and several persons perished in the flames, including two ladies. No names have yet been ascertained. The cargo consisted of 3,200 bales of cotton, which with the vessel it is supposed will prove a total loss.

The Canada's Advices at New-Orleans.

NEW-ORLEANS, Monday, Oct. 9.

The news by the steamship *Canada* has had a depressing influence on our COTTON market, and prices are rather weaker. Middling is quoted at 8½c. ⅌ lb. Ohio FLOUR has slightly improved, selling at $6 50@$6 75.

Severe Storm on Lake Superior.

CLEVELAND, Wednesday, Oct. 10.

A severe storm occurred at Outmagon, Lake Superior, on the 3d inst. About 400 feet of the pier was carried away, together with freight upon it from the propeller *Fountain*, and steamer *Sam Ward*, including machinery for the National Ridge Mine, and supplies for the Ohio Trap Rock Company. The total loss was about $15,000. The Presbyterian Church was blown from its position. The steamers *Sam Ward* and *Baltimore* were safe at Fond-du-lac and La Pointe.

The Cochituate Bank of Boston.

BOSTON, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The receivers of the Cochituate Bank (failed) have given notice that the claimants, who proved their claims previous to Aug. 1, will receive fifty per cent, on the same, to be paid at the Webster Bank on and after Monday next.

Arrival of the Steamship Marion at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The United States Mail Steamship *Marion*, Capt. W. FOSTER, arrived here at nine o'clock this (Tuesday,) morning.

New-Arrival of the Europa.

FORTLAND, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The telegraph between this point and Halifax is working badly. Our latest date from Halifax is 10 o'clock this morning, at which time there were no signs of the *Europa*.

Large Fire at Pottsville.

POTTSVILLE, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

A large fire is raging in this place. The office of the *Miners' Journal* is burned down, and many other buildings in the rear of Centre-street and along the Railroad are on fire.

SECOND DISPATCH.

Four or five dwellings and several stables were destroyed by the fire. Mr. BRANNON, of the *Miners' Journal*, estimates his loss at $10,000, which is partially covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to have been the work of incendiaries.

Fire at Great Barrington.

SPRINGFIELD, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

An incendiary fire was kindled in the woodhouse of the Housatonic Railroad at Great Barrington, on Saturday night, and about sixty thousand cords of wood, belonging to the Railroad Company, were destroyed, besides damaging the depot building, and sweeping down the large stores of GRANGER, HITE & Co., S. P. & F. J. SANDFORD, the printing office of the Berkshire Courier, and a dwelling house. The loss is estimated at $30,000; but is mostly covered by insurance.

Post-Office Appointment.

ALBANY, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

E. H. REEVE, the Postmaster, at Sandy Hill, and for many years the editor of the Sandy Hill *Herald*, has been removed from the Post-Office at that place, and JAMES M. MOSS appointed in his stead.

The Southern Mail—Yellow Fever.

BALTIMORE, Tuesday, Oct. 10.

We have no mail this morning south of Savannah. The papers of that city still caution all strangers to remain away on account of the yellow fever.

CITY POLITICS.

Nomination of John H. Smith for Mayor.

Pursuant to notice, the Whigs met last night, at the Broadway Hall, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Mayor, at the approaching election. About five hundred persons were present, and, with a few exceptions, them seemed to be a unanimity of feeling.

Mr. W. J. HAMILTON was, on motion, elected President. The following gentlemen were elected VICE-PRESIDENTS:

First Ward, Jas. G. Elliott; 2d, Wm. Bell; 3d, C. B. Winchester; 4th, Jas. E. Wilson; 5th, Jas. L. Wright; 6th, W. C. Anderson; 7th, W. Rowan; 8th, E. C. Fanning; 9th, John C. Brent; 10th, Jas. Wilkins; 11th, Jas. L. Rodgers; 12th, Jas. L. Dayton; 13th, Jas. W. Stevens; 14th, Sidney Kenner; 15th, J. J. Hunter; 16th, Jas. G. Hitchcock; 17th, A. W. Mitchell; 18th, Geo. Burg; 19th, E. E. Cole; 20th, Benjamin Conover; 21st, R. H. Lounitz; 22d, Jas. Browning; 23d, Nicholas Dorsey.

The meeting was addressed by Mr. DONALDSON and Mr. Thos. JOHNS, Jr. The speakers adverted to the inefficiency of the City Government during the few years past, owing to the corruption growing out of the City patronage being used to subserve the ends of party. He spoke of Mr. SMITH's personal qualifications, evinced in his past career, which they urged was ample evidence of his being competent to direct the affairs of the City in a much more satisfactory manner than they had been conducted for many years.

The Committee appointed at a previous meeting reported the following resolutions and nominations, which were adopted by a nearly unanimous vote:

Whereas, This great Commercial Metropolis has been for many years misgoverned, or rather misruled, by the agents and tools of party, whose chief business, it is by the operation of party machinery, for the furtherance of party ends or party interests, the perversion of political, canons, decisions, to put on public posts of emoluments and Conventions, has not only ceased to be a virtue but has led to urging wide in the administration of our local government, and injuriously affected the health, business, morals and reputation of our city therefore,

Resolved, That we will commence this crusade, the work of reform by nominating, in open meeting, and without the intervention of party wire-pullers, an independent, honest and energetic citizen, unencumbered with and not pledged to, any party ties, and we do nominate the PEOPLE'S CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR!

Resolved, That our fellow-citizen, JOHN H. SMITH, possesses, in a high degree, the qualifications for Mayor, and is therefore the man for the occasion.

Resolved, That the fact of his being unknown as a partisan politician, experienced, in our opinion, one of the chief merits, and gives him a powerful claim to the support and exchange of those who desire to see the office of Mayor cut loose from all obligations to the and factions, commonly known as the wards of John Kenneth, of "men of some principle" the honest and two ribbon."

Resolved, That Jesse H. Shaw has personally disgraced, by his Broadway experiment, the possibility of making New-York one of the choicest cities in the Union, although the laws he has given, and the men he has been last week there, and it remains, to their disgrace, one of the most disorderly cities in the world.

Resolved, That in supporting and calling upon our fellow-citizens to support JOHN H. SMITH, for the Mayoralty, we shall do organization a service, believing as we do that if elected he will use his best energies to maintain public order, give us clean and well-governed thoroughfares, promote economy in the public expenditures, expose official delinquency wherever it may exist, and bring about such a reform in every branch of our public affairs as shall tell upon the prosperity and interests of this community, and relieve us from the reproach of namely misrulingour rights and sin today and waiting to immortalize wrongs.

Resolved, Finally, that we do not intend the nomination of Jesse H. Shaw, as our candidate for Mayor, shall be a cold and barren tribute to his integrity and capacity, but that we will work for him "with a will" during the canvass, and vote for him at the polls in November next, and that we respectfully invite all friends of public order, honest government, and clean streets, all enemies of official peculation, back-stairs influence and public subsidies, to do likewise.

At this stage of the proceedings there was considerable confusion, growing out of the presence of about a score of men said to be members of the Hatters' Union. They commenced an interference in the business of the meeting by loud vociferations, so much so that it was considered politic to adjourn the meeting, after appointing the President and Secretary of the meeting a Committee to wait on Mr. SMITH and inform him of the action taken.

Whig Convention.

The Whig Mayoralty Convention met last night, at the Broadway House, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor and Governor of the Alms-House Department. The Convention was organized by the appointment of JAMES G. PINCKNEY, of the Seventeenth Ward, Chairman, and JOHN P. HOGG, of the Fifteenth Ward, and A. J. WILLIAMSON, of the Second, Secretaries.

The seats of the Delegates from the Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Twenty-first Wards were contested, and a Committee of five was appointed by the Chair to settle the claims of the contestants.

The Committee, which consisted of Royal G. Millard, John Decker, Dennis McLaughlin, A. M. C. Smith and Marcellus Kelly, reported favorably to the ticket in the Eleventh Ward headed by FREEMAN HINCKS; in the Twelfth Ward, in that at JOHN COOPER; in the Fourteenth Ward, to that of JOHN HOGG, and in the Twenty-first to that of F. L. HARRIS.

The Convention then proceeded to ballot for Mayor.

FIRST BALLOT.

Necessary to a choice	91
John I. Hewitt	35
Morris R. Brewer	35
Robert T. Haws	1
Zephon Mills	1
Isaac O. Barker	1

SECOND BALLOT.

John I. Hewitt	37
Morris R. Brewer	39
Robert T. Haws	1

Mr. HEDRICK was then declared nominated and a Committee appointed to inform him of the fact.

The Convention then commenced to ballot for a Governor of the Almshouse Department. Dr. THOS. R. WOOD, of the Seventh Ward, received the nomination. The following was the balloting:

FIRST BALLOT.

Necessary to a choice	53
Joseph R. Taylor	33
Dr. James R. Wood	37
Wm. T. Pinckney	1
R. M. Fowler	1

SECOND BALLOT.

James R. Wood	39
Joseph R. Taylor	37
W. T. Pinckney	1

THIRD BALLOT.

James R. Wood	37
Joseph R. Taylor	37

Dr. WOOD was then declared unanimously nominated.

A Committee, consisting of J. Cooper, M. H. Chase, D. McLaughlin, F. Hincks, and H. W. Genet, was appointed to make arrangements for the ratification meeting.

Previous to the adjournment of the Convention, Mr. HEDRICK, the nominee for Mayor, entered the room and returned thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

Hard-Shell Congressional Nomination.

The Delegates

LETTERS ON THE CHARITIES OF ENGLAND.

NUMBER FIVE.

The Patent Candle Factory.

Special Correspondence of the N. Y. Daily Times:

LONDON, August, 1854.

Of all the enterprises in England for the poor and laboring classes, this work going on in the Candle Factory at Vauxhall, seems to us the most correct and thorough. It is so remarkable, that we would gladly see accounts of it spread through every manufacturing village of America. For the first time almost, in the history of manufacturing, this Company have developed the highest Christian idea of the relation of masters and workmen. The whole effort has been so simple, and yet so singular in its nature, that we almost despair of conveying it to our American readers, except as it is described in the admirable papers of the Manager, Mr. I. P. WILSON. We have the pleasure of knowing Mr. WILSON; and though he is the last man to wish such public notice, we may be allowed to say that he is what his papers show, a simple, earnest, God-loving man, who lives in daily business under some conception of the responsibility of a religious life. The whole enterprise for the improvement of the factory from beginning to end is his. We shall, as much as possible, try to give the narrative in his own simple words.

"The schools of the Factory," says Mr. WILSON, in a Report made 9th March, 1853, to the Board of Directors, at their request, "began in a very humble way by half a dozen of our boys hiding themselves behind a bench, two or three times a week, after they had done their day's work and had their tea, to practice writing on scraps of paper with worn-out pens begged from the counting-house. The foreman of their department encouraged them, and as they persevered and were joined by others of the boys, he begged that some rough movable desks might be made for them. When they had obtained these, they used to clear away the candle-boxes at night and set up the desks, and thus work more comfortably than before, although still at great disadvantages, as compared with working in any ordinary school-room. My brother encouraged them with some books as prizes, and many, who had been very backward, improved much in reading and writing."

The fact of all this being the work of the boys, seemed of so much value that the managers refrained from interfering, except by presents of occasional books for prizes.

The first half-dozen scholars had now increased to thirty, and it was desirable to get a better place for a school-room. Some old store-rooms were gutted out and plainly furnished at an expense of some £172. The boys entered this room in the winter of 1848, and the whole was so much voluntary yet, that the prayers with which the school closed were read by the boys themselves. The principle of self-government, however, began more and more to work badly. The managers gave it a fair trial even to allowing the whole to be directed by a committee chosen at a general meeting of the boys. The experiment, however, was finally given up at the request of the older boys themselves, and the school has since been worked by authority, though this has been guided often by a general vote. As an instance of this, the report mentions that a vote had first passed to attend school four nights a week, instead of three, during eight months of the year, so as to make holiday the four best summer months.

Previously to the starting of this school, it appears they had been troubled by one evil. In the making the candles it was often necessary to employ boys a certain time, taking them from their schools and then to let them go unemployed. They often did not go back to the schools, but idled about in the streets and fell into bad habits, until they were wanted again. Now with the school they had a place at once where these lads could be kept in good employment and transferred to the factory. The day-school became thus a kind of primary department or nursery for the factory, so that they had a prize to offer to the best of the school-boys, in admission to the work-shops, and at the same time would admit no boys whose character they did not previously know.

The total cost of the day-school up to Dec. 31, 1851, was £227. As the enterprise went on, a difficulty was found in inducing the boys who had been hard at work all day to attend school an hour and a half in the evening.

The first method of inducement was in inviting the whole school to "tea parties" in the new room. The boys, many of whom had never been at such a thing before, came very untidily dressed, but gradually, as some of these parties were held, the dress improved, and they began to look neatly; and the boys outside felt uncomfortable at not being present at them, and so joined the school.

During the Summer of 1849, the Cholera broke out in England and raged fearfully in the neighborhood of the Factory.

The best preventives seemed to the managers to be fresh air and exercise; and accordingly they set to work to start a cricket game. A gentleman kindly gave them the use of a field, and the school hours were employed in the play. Always, after the games were finished, the boys collected in a corner of the field and took off their caps for a very short prayer for the safety of themselves and their friends from the disease. In 1850, being possession of the field, another of 3½ acres was hired by Mr. WILSON at £40 a year, and levelled for cricket, and in another part laid out in gardens for the boys.

"I look upon the cricket," says Mr. WILSON, "as one of the very happiest parts of all that we have been doing, and have never had any misgivings about inducing our boys to take to it, and to give a good deal of their spare time and attention to it. With boys of a higher class than ours, there might be a question about this; but all ours must expect to be working with their bodies, much more than with their minds; and of two boys in other respects alike, of whom one should spend many of his Summer evenings in cricket, and become a fair cricketer, and the other in dawdling about, as most London boys do, the first would, when grown up, have strength and activity of body, and quickness of hand and eye far beyond the other, and would be possessor in his labor a much more valuable commodity to take to market.

Then the cricket and Summer excursion (of which I have yet to speak) both of them all to be part of the same system with the Sunday services and the Winter's hard schooling. The last alone might perhaps be too plain food for the rather weak intellectual and moral appetite of many of our boys; but the cricket and Summer excursion make the whole to be pleasant." The expenses of the cricket and gardens for the last three years he estimates at £249.

He alludes feelingly to the difficulty which masters always have of mingling easily with their workmen, and thinks that this game especially has brought them all in the factory near to one another. Its effect, too, on the boys engaged in night-work has been very encouraging. Formerly, these lads, being unable to sleep directly after their night's work, would dawdle about and get rid of the time until it was the hour for their day's sleep. "Now, all last Summer the night gang of boys, on leaving work at 6 o'clock in the morning, went straight to our field, and there they thoroughly enjoyed themselves in gardening and cricket until about 8½ o'clock. They then collected in a shed which we have on the ground, to hear a verse or two from the New Testament read to them, and to say the Lord's Prayer together before going home to sleep; and the way in which they joined in this little religious service, coming as it did just as a part of their enjoyment, would make one hope for very happy effects from it."

In adding still further to the inducements of the school, occasional Summer excursions were taken to the sea-side, to which the school alone were invited. Formerly the boys, on the Sunday, after working hard all the week, were in the habit of idling about in the fields, or boating, or playing "rounders." The cricket and the sea-side trips gave them new something of the needed relaxation, and they were more willing to spend the Sunday as a day of worship and improvement.

The operations thus far described were connected with the Bellmont Factory, but similar enterprises were commenced in connection with the Night-Light Factory and the girls, who were at work in it. As all these increased, it became necessary to have some one present, who should constantly supervise them, and accordingly a chaplain was appointed—a man of some means, who wished to devote himself to this labor gratuitously, but to whom, for the sake of the principle, a regular salary of £200 was paid.

These are his duties. In the Lower School-room he has a short service every morning, at a quarter to 6, for the men. * * * At five minutes past 6, there is a similar service in the same room for such of the boys as can attend.

After that, the chaplain works in the Night-Light School, which is held from 6 o'clock till breakfast time, four days a week; or he is in the Candle Factory Morning School, which is held two days a week, for those who are at night work; or else he works with a class of the most forward of the boys, who act as teachers of the others in the evening school.

After breakfast, at 8½ o'clock, we who are of the counting-house, together with the two foremen meet in the lower room for a short service. The rest of the day and evening is spent by the Chaplain in school labors and in visiting the homes of the children.

Once supposing a genuine and earnest man in the heart of all this work, and one can imagine the deep effects. It seems for the first time, the right mingling of the Work-shop and the Church.

With the refitting of a building for a Chapel and all the other expenses, Mr. WILSON had laid out for these objects, from his own private purse, up to the date of this report, some £3,280; and the present annual expense he estimated at £1,105. His own salary is only £1,000 a year. The numbers in the different schools were as follows: *Belmont Evening School*, 211; *Belmont Day School*, 103; *Night-light Boys' School*, 97; *Night-light Girls' School*, 101. Total, 512.

Of the direct pecuniary advantage of all this to the Company, he says it is impossible to make an accurate statement. "One can only say, generally, that the whole spirit of a factory, such as I trust ours is now in prospect of becoming, will be different from that of one in which the giving and taking of wages is the only connection between the proprietors and their people. One feels intuitively, the moment the idea of two such factories is presented to one's mind, that the difference does, and must necessarily by the very laws of human nature and religion, ensure to the one much greater prosperity than to the other, although it may be impossible to trace out the details of this, and say such and such a hundred pounds spent at such a time on the boys, had brought back two hundred pounds before such a date, afterwards.

If I were forced to come to some particular proved instances of benefit to the business, I should take first the one which you witnessed the other night, after coming down from the schools into the factory, a number of boys working so steadily and well at what a few years back we should not have thought of trusting to any but men, it being work requiring much greater care and attention than can be reckoned upon from ordinary untrained factory-boys.

Yet, even here, the exact pecuniary benefit cannot be stated, &c."

He states, too, that the book-prizes which they have offered for the best cricket-matches, have stimulated the boys, who could not read before, to learn to read them; and that this has worked beneficially on the general intelligence, and so on the success of the factory—much of their work being of a kind to require skill and discrimination.

The remaining account of this most remarkable work we must postpone to another letter, only trusting that this brief sketch may reach the hands of some of our manufacturers, in whose hands is the welfare of so many human beings. O. L. R.

TO THOSE SENDING LETTERS TO NEWFOUNDLAND.—Letters for Newfoundland, if prepaid the United States postage of five cents the single letter, agreeably to the United States and British postal arrangements, will, on being sent to Boston, be forwarded, in closed bags, by the Cunard steamers to Halifax; and this, we understand, is the most expeditious and cheapest route, and the way the Newfoundland people wish their letters sent.

Cardinal MAI, the celebrated linguist and librarian of the Vatican Library, died at Albano on the 9th ultimo.

FROM JAMAICA.

Summary Account of the Crops—Doings of the Branch Society of Arts and Sciences.

Correspondence of the New-York Daily Times.

KINGSTON, (Jam.) Monday, Sept. 25, 1854.

Both in the low lands and mountain districts generally throughout the Island the crops are looking favorably, the cane fields are luxuriantly green, and the coffee trees have begun to put forth their snowy virgin blossom with every prospect of a plentiful harvest; but, alas, the good that nature bestows upon us, man, in the plenitude of his wisdom and power, renders fruitless. The cultivators of the soil have not only to contend against slave labor, but the war-fever is another vexatious ingredient in addition to their many grievous endurances. The very improvement we are now seeking to establish in the cultivation of our sugars is made the excuse for increased penalties. Can any nation stand this kind of treatment, and silently submit to encroachments so palpably destructive and fatal to the future rise and progress of the Colonies? Our best energies are frustrated by studied means employed by the Home Government to baffle our dexterity in the course of improvement, and sink us lower and lower in the gulf of despondency. What effect will this "Responsible Government" have on the manufacture of our staples, and when exposed to so many trials and disappointments? We have had to contend against the devastation of a mysterious disease, with all the horrors consequent upon it; our laboring population almost exhausted from its effects; no helping hand to supply us with additional strength in our agricultural pursuits; our produce in the British markets not realizing simple interest—in many cases proving a loss to the producer. I ask what is it that can resuscitate this unfortunate Island, surrounded as it is with so many perplexities, made unbearable by that very hand which ought to succor and support us, but either will not or cannot? I see ruin and despair staring us in the face. Is it not clear to demonstration that unless some effective remedy be speedily employed, we must be sunk into total annihilation?

SIR HENRY BARKLY is desirous of reviving Sir CHARLES GREY's "Branch Society of Arts and Sciences." A meeting was held at the King's House, and various Committees were appointed. Gentlemen, comprising a diversity of talent to discharge the duties imposed upon them, have entered warmly in the management. One of the speakers considered it a disgrace to Jamaica is not doing something substantial for the Great National Exhibition of 1851. The only articles then forwarded were a few artificial flowers, the handy-work of a Jamaica lady; and Jamaica's industry and agriculture was a handful of coffee. I rather think the disgrace was that of the Imperial Government, which at that time had reduced Jamaica to such an extremity of misery as to render any competition with the world unprofitable on her part. There is to be a Grand Exhibition—all "The World" is to be transferred from Hyde Park to the Champs Elysées, of the industry of all nations in all its departments. The circular issued by the Branch Societies, divides the products of industry which are to figure on our part at this exposition under seven special departments. What these gentlemen will be able to accomplish is very questionable—perhaps a few specimens of copper ore, which would bear a favorable comparison with any similar description of mineral product in the world; some specimens of colonial fibre might be found useful to prepare at the present moment. The whole scheme will fall to the ground. Jamaica will not be able to gratify the expectations of those who are making so prominent a movement, and who appear to be so sanguine of success.

The general election is going on pretty calmly, up to the present day; all the old members have been reelected with the exception of one new candidate for the Parish of Saint Dorothy.

The Speaker of the late House had a narrow escape of being defeated. There is every probability that this gentleman will be re-seated as Speaker of the new House. £600 per annum is not to be sneezed at in these ticklish times.

A letter written in New-York, bearing the signature of "A Citizen of New-York," found its way in the *Morning Journal* of this city. It is a highly inflammatory commentary on a certain article which appeared in that paper condematory of Commodore HOLLINS' unjustifiable conduct in the late transactions at Greytown. This stirred up the angry feelings of the editor, who has retorted pretty sharply on the writer, but certainly not less deservedly. The "Citizen" has no doubt expressed himself in the warmest language of the passions, and has, I think, unnecessarily given vent to that mode of vituperation which would have been "more honored in the breach than the observance."

Nothing material has transpired since my last respecting mining operations. They are just as I left them when I referred to their continued success, on the 20th current.

FROM THE WEST.

Discovery of Railroad Depredations in Ohio.

Correspondence of the New-York Daily Times.

SANDUSKY, Thursday, Oct. 5, 1854.

For some time past extensive robberies have been practiced on lines of travel between New-York and the Lake cities. Goods have been missed from the propellers, at dépôts and from freight cars. It has been known that these depredations were perpetrated according to a system in which a number of persons were engaged. Boxes of goods were missing, boxes have been broken open and parcels stolen, and many packages have never reached their destination. It was closely suspected several months ago that a party of the rascals who were carrying on this scheme had their head-quarters at this city. A large amount of goods has been missed from the Mad River Dépôt, and last week such developments were made as induced the Superintendents to set a watch. A shrewd employé who could be trusted was appointed to be on the alert, and he succeeded in entrapping half a dozen rascals.

About midnight six men entered the Mad River Railroad dépôt, with dark lanterns. The spy was on the qui vive and followed them. They at once began operations by breaking open boxes. He managed so cautiously as to be able to get a view of their faces, and not only that, to get the names on the boxes they plundered. He took notes also of their conversation. When the labors of the night were over they retreated from the scene of their depredations, and he followed, when accidentally he stepped upon a plank, which slipped and made a noise. At once one of the burglars cried, "If there is a man in this dépôt he is a dead man," throwing the light from his lantern, as he spoke, directly in the direction of the sound. The spy was in his stocking feet, and was well acquainted with the dépôt, and being a good dodger kept out of the line of the lantern light. Two of the burglars, with revolvers in their hands, began to search the dépôt. The spy was unarmed, but he succeeded in escaping himself so safely that, though the burglars searched a long time, they did not find him.

On the following morning six arrests were made. Among the burglars were three out of one family—a father and two sons—all in the employ of the Railway Company. The boys were check clerks. The other burglars were also employés of the Company. It is now ascertained that they have been stealing for more than a year, and have been in the habit of stealing goods in the night, and in the towns in the vicinity. Through their arrest such information has been obtained as will lead to the arrest of parties in other places. No examination has yet been had before a magistrate, and therefore I do not send you names. The papers of this place have not yet given publication of the arrest, because it has been thought advisable not to advertise the detection of the Sandusky villains, lest those at other points should escape as soon as aware of them. But so much time has now elapsed, that whatever can be done will be done before the TIMES with this letter can circulate here.

Sandusky is rapidly improving. Handsome and extensive stone buildings are going up on the principal streets. An extensive hotel is nearly completed, and DERBY's buildings, for his Cosmopolitan Gallery of Art, will be ready to be occupied next week, when the Gallery will be opened.

For a couple of days the weather has been cold [illegible]

[illegible] excitement runs high now, as it does everywhere else in the northern part of the State. The Know-Nothings are giving the old fashioned politicians much uneasiness. The probability is that the Republican ticket will largely triumph in this District.

It is a common opinion in this quarter of the State that the drouth has not been so dreadful as was represented, and that times will not be as hard as was feared. The conviction prevails that flour must come down, and that corn and potatoes cannot go up. The small bill law, which forbids the circulation of foreign bank bills of a less denomination than $10, is generally disregarded. The law allows them to be taken for redemption, and everybody *designs* to send them home.

Yours, BARATOM.

NOTICES OF NEW BOOKS.

THE SPIRIT RAPPERS: An Autobiography. By O. A. BROWNSON. Boston: LITTLE, BROWN & CO. New-York: [illegible]

This is a very extraordinary book,—a curiosity,—a thing not quite explicable, yet entirely sectarian. It purports to be the confession of one born of intelligent New-England parents, who strays from an old way that was not entirely good, and at last is brought to the fold. He likes *Poetic Philosophy* while in college, and on graduating studies a little of Phrenology. He tries Transcendentalism, but makes little of it. The arrival of *Dr. P——* [*Dr. POTTS?*] turns his thoughts to Mesmerism, and by slow degrees he becomes initiated into the mysteries of clairvoyance, table-tipping, rapping, and spiritualism. His skill assumes superhuman power. He has his own way, and controls men as one should if the dreams of the mesmerists and of spiritualists are true, to assure his own ends; but these ends are such as new lights and self-styled philanthropists suppose themselves to desire,—universal Democracy,—a complete liberty. Foiled by a higher power, however, the end does not follow the apparently sufficient means, and all fulfillment is postponed. Meanwhile the home feeling has died out; the love of mother, sister, brother, has perished. A sense of loneliness creeps over the disappointed man. In his horrid unbelief, it would be a comfort to believe in the existence of devils,—a relief to believe that there is a hell. And yet it needed but an intelligent self search to see that there was a devil, who had led him in his wanderings and exerted through him the influence which he thought was his own. But if there is a Devil, there must be a God. VOLTAIRE thought so; BAYLE said so. Then he must say "Good Lord," or "Good Devil;" but he had experience of the latter and knew how bad he was. Yet if there were a God, and he were good, he must have a law, which he, the penitent, had trodden on at every hour of his career. He had served the evil spirit, had compacted with death. At this point he makes his confession. He evidently hopes for a brighter future; he wishes to serve as a beacon, yet it is his pleasure to feel that some pitying ones will pray as they pass, "May his soul rest in peace."

The book purports to be an "Autobiography"—but of whom? Not of O. A. BROWNSON, though it doubtless is the spiritual experience of Mr. BROWNSON that is reproduced here—nor of any possible man, though it is all human enough until the "I," having attained extraordinary skill in the black art, sets out with the world reforming, strong-minded PRISCILLA upon a missionary tour to establish Mesmeric circles in every city and civilized land, and to put them all in connection, that one mind may influence the world and grant it universal liberty. From this point the effects are no longer such as common mediums and parlor circles produce, but they become entirely superhuman. And the "I"—the Magician—the Autobiographer, can be no other than the devil of Modern Reform.

Taking this as the key, it is possible to open the author's magnificent essaying and polished sentences to a meaning, to wit, that Satan, despairing of making further headway against True Religion by open Infidelity, sets his servants to divulging false philosophy, teaching sciences that are more curious than useful, and supplanting God's old Religion with a new one. It is not a fabled Satan but a true one that does it. Our author gives credit to LUTHER, and MAHOMET, and JOE SMITH, for "a sad sincerity in their work." They, least of all men, were hypocrites. If MAHOMET had been an impostor, saying to himself, "Go to, now; let us make a new religion and impose it upon the world," he never would have ventured upon open vice and profligacy. "Heretics are usually more careful than the orthodox in regard to appearances." "It is only innocence that dare be light and frolicksome and yield to its varying impulses." "LUTHER was a man terribly in earnest." "The cool, subtle, dark, persevering CALVIN, the fiery, energetic and ferocious JOHN KNOX, * * * were no shrewd calculating hypocrites." "Whoever looks beneath the surface of things, whoever studies in a truly philosophical spirit that fearful Protestant movement, must recognize in it a superhuman power, and say that either the finger of God or the hand of the Devil is here, and that its chiefs must have been inspired by the Holy Ghost or *driven onward by infuriated demons.*" Of course Mr. BROWNSON thinks demons were their drivers, and it is one of them that enters into the new philosophy and urges it over two Continents. It dabbles in Phrenology and embraced Animal Magnetism. It talks transcendentally and is eloquent in the common places of Woman's Rights. It adopts the cries of Young America, and makes Universal Liberty, or unrestrained license, its gospel. It—"I"—the autobiographer, the writer, whose preface says that only the urgency of the publishers compelled him to write O. A. BROWNSON as his name,—the devil of modern reform—embarks for Europe. It found little chance for a democratic revolution in England. But her succession of Reform bills, which in due time would make the House of Commons come to be regarded as representing population, not an estate, and her free-trade, were hopeful. PEEL needed not to be mesmerized. RUSSELL and PALMERSTON had been already touched. GLADSTONE needed a slight manipulation, but SHAFTESBURY was amply mesmerized already by nature and fashion. England was ripe for getting the Continent into a democratic scrape, but she would bring no help to lift them out on to the safe side. Exeter Hall was easily charged. In Ireland O'CONNELL interested him as the author of "peaceful agitation," but his eye was too sharp after the "Irish." The "Young Ireland" party talked and blustered too much. They were of excellent disposition, but unsubstantial. They were all blaze and no heat. In Scotland, the second sight of the natives promised to be of service. The celtic fluid seemed to be the natural atmosphere of her brownie and fairy peopled glens and mountains. Norway, Sweden and Denmark, were considered as already in the mesmeric connection. The spirit of the old Vikings, the Berserkirs and Sagas was still operative. Our missionary was disposed rather to imbibe than to impart strength there. The Czar seemed like a hard case, but he is "a sort of Pope in his own dominions, and not indisposed to supplant the Pope of Rome, which was quite enough for us." In Hungary, PRISCILLA—though it was scarcely necessary—initiated the Magyar indeed, and "I laid my hand on KOSSUTH's head and breathed into his mouth." KOSSUTH was all right. In Austria the aristocracy were proof, but the University students were impressible and easily charged. Matters were satisfactorily arranged in Germany, for Germans, whether right or wrong, are always earnest. LOLA MONTEZ was schooled and sent to Munich, but she was too vain, and allowing King Louis to make her a Countess, disappointed high hopes. MAZZINI, they met at Geneva, and him they found a very genius of intrigue, and GIOBERTI, a fearless exile yet a rigid Papist, was just the man for the purpose. GUIZOT, under LOUIS PHILIPPE, ruled France, and he was in sympathy with the Liberals, who in France, and the world over, held jubilee when the old Pope died. Good pious Cardinal MASTAI became Pope PIUS IX., and the demon seemed for a while to have power over him. But while men and devils prepare, God alone disposes. The new Pope, though seeming at first to be [illegible] the councils of Liberal Reason, though [illegible] by [illegible] Reactionists, [illegible] a [illegible] Pope, and so [illegible] was [illegible] Revolutions and Reform blazed all over Europe, but that first, new, liberal, genuine Pope was our Conservative element that quenched its further progress. Nor could any magic of evil rid the world of his presence. The "greater magician" kept him in his genuine papacy, and it was in vain. Austria was [illegible] Russia; England stood aloof, though she did advise aforesaid; France feared Russia, and Russia hated the New Order more than she hated the Old, so the Old was taken back to her favor, and with fallen spirits the party returned. There were daughter cues who hoped that another opportunity was coming, but our adventurers despaired. True Religion was accused to defunctos by the onslaught, and the false was chattered by the unavailing projection. Here, again, the autobiography puts on a more human phase, and it is no longer a demon that is rehearsing his experience. The remnant of the book is given to discussions of topics kindred to those already named,—superstition, monomania, and insanity. Its favorite way of investigating a subject is to set a Unitarian, an Orthodox New-Englander, a Universalist and a strong-minded woman to conversing on it. It manages to make these so develop each other's weakness that the sentiment of the good Catholic will naturally present itself at last as the only tenable position,—though very likely it will not be openly named.

Now, when O. A. BROWNSON attempts to define his position, no experienced person expects to find him in the place that a plain interpretation of his words would indicate. So when on a subject of this mystic sort he explains his opinions, we come to repeat them with the most modest distrust of our proper apprehension of them, so that very likely what we have once pronounced as the key to this work, he may deem entirely uncalled for. A living man, he may think, might very easily have accomplished all that the "I" of his autobiography confesses. For his theory of the spirit rappings is, that they are the work of Satan. He admits the genuineness of the manifestations claimed, urges that they are superhuman, knows they cannot be of God since they are not good, argues their coincidence with and analogy to the proven works of devils in Holy and Profane Writ; and though he doubts not that his brother savans will think he has lost his wits, ascribes them without hesitation to the enemies of God and man. But Satan has no *creative power*. He can only invade bodies when they are in an abnormal state. Now the mesmeric phenomena are explicable on natural principles. No one is subject to it whose nervous constitution is in a healthy state. Many phenomena vulgarly attributed to Satanic influence, are easily explained by this abnormal development. But the practice of mesmerism is not harmless, for it is an artificial disease—it facilitates Satanic invasion. Satan can only invade our bodies when they are physically depraved, or by *exciting himself of some natural force*—fluid—imponderable—REICHENBACH's *Od*, MESMER's *Magnetism*, or as the older magetists called it, *spirit of the world*. Such is his theory—not a new one, indeed—but here very skillfully deduced as the necessity, from the reasonings of the book, if they are admitted and its facts if they are conceded. It is very nearly the doctrine which Rev. CHARLES BECKER broached before a Congregationalist body of our vicinity, just before he went abroad to treasure Sunny *Memories* with Mrs. STOW, and the same which, stripped of its fine clothes, the superstitions of *every age and country have embraced*. Much interest is given the work by the frequent introduction of real persons, with slightly altered names, Judge Beston and Senator Van Shaik, Priscilla, and some of the clergy, we are sure we have read of before, and some of them we have seen face to face. It is, we repeat, a very curious book.

LONDON: ITS LITERARY AND HISTORICAL CURIOSITIES. By F. SAUNDERS. New-York: KIRK & BRIGGS.

If a man were going to London for the first time he could save time and much annoyance, by studying out the city thoroughly before starting, by learning its prominent objects, getting familiar with its ground-plan, and knowing beforehand what he shall look at, and how most easily to get from point to point of interest. A week in the metropolis, if he went well acquainted with the Guide Book, would give him more familiarity with its lions than a month spent in rambling there without its aid. But the Guide-books generally are very meagre things: intended to serve the purposes of all to some extent, they must needs give but the outlines for any. Mr. SAUNDERS, whose savory *Salad for the Solitary*, has won him all confidence for any new effort, in this "London," serves up such curiosities as literary men, and those historically disposed will like to see. He pictures all the nooks and corners which the literati have dwelt in, and maps the shrines that we should be ashamed not to visit when we go. It brings Old London and New together before us, and tells just what we should want "a friend who knows," to tell us if we had already bespoken a stateroom in a Collins steamer for the voyage. Moreover, as we do not think of going to London this year, and yet wish to know what are its curiosities, this is just the book to inform us. We pronounce it excellent.

HUNGARY AND ITS REVOLUTIONS. With a memoir of LOUIS KOSSUTH. By E. O. S. London: HARRY G. BOHN. Sold here by SAMPSON & BROTHERS.

Who E. O. S. may be we are not informed, but, he or she, evidently is well able to handle the topic proposed, and genially. The work is a valuable one,—not a eulogy of the well-shaped yet illustrious Magyar, but a much-needed, dispassionate and appreciative *resumé* of his services and his country's trials. The work was demanded for the purposes of justice and of truth. The writer seems to have consulted for his facts the authorities of every shade and of each side. GORGEY and EMINEY, Blue Books and Parliamentary Records, the notes of travelers and the jotting of Yankees who have had an experience of the Austrian police. Those who remember the Governor's thrilling speeches here, and his daring prophecies will be curious to see how remarkably these prophecies have been fulfilled.

TRANSACTIONS OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE, 1853.

We have received a copy of this volume, and find it full of valuable matter. The Report of the Trustees, list of premiums, &c., give it a "common look," but the discussions of the Farmers' Club are exceedingly suggestive and serviceable. They are thrown together very much after the fashion of Legislative Documents generally, without much reference to an orderly arrangement, but an index moderately copious makes them available.

COWPER'S POETICAL WORKS. In 2 vols. New-York: D. APPLETON & CO.

This edition of COWPER's *Poetical Works* is in two volumes large octavo, with a life, critical dissertations and notes by Rev. GRAHAM GILFILLAN. It bears the imprint of "BALLANTYNE, Printer, Edinburg," and is a beautiful edition. Of the unhappy poet, GILFILLAN, whom it is the fashion to abuse just now, gives us really a very temperate and well-written life; and, unlike that of SOUTHEY, it is not so long as absolutely to discourage an attempt to read it.

THE VIRGINIA COMEDIANS; OR, OLD DAYS IN THE OLD DOMINION. Edited from the Mss. of G. SPTNGHAM, Esq. In two volumes. New-York: D. APPLETON & CO.

A story of Virginia in 1766, told pleasantly by one who has a lighter pen. We cannot say that we have read it through—that would be too much to ask us to do of a two volume novel at the opening of the book season. But it runs off smoothly so far up we have read, and on dipping into the dialogue at any point, we are tempted to read on to the chapter's end. Readers of the class of literature will enjoy it we are quite sure.

MEMOIRS OF A GRANDMOTHER. By a Lady of Massachusetts. Boston: GOULD & LINCOLN. New-York: SHELDON, LAMPORT & BLAKEMAN.

An affectionate and veritable Autobiography of a New-England grandmother, dedicated to her children. We receive a copy from EVANS & DICKERSON.

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To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

The Suffolk County Teachers' Association [illegible] at New-Village, Long Island, near the much celebrated Homeopathic Lodge, on Thursday, the 5th instant. We were very hospitably received, and were charmed with the unostentatious enjoyment of genuine Long Island life. The Association has made almost unprecedented progress during the two last years of its existence, and now numbers among its members some of whom our State may well be proud. The meeting was of unusual interest, and a spirit of energy is seemingly awakened on the subject of education. Teachers are encouraged, and we trust that old Suffolk is not behind the age in educational progress.

Valuable papers were presented by various members of the Association. These essays of much merit were read. On Friday evening N. A. CALKINS, Esq., of New-York, delivered a brilliant and classical address on "What to Teach." Spirited discussions were held on various subjects, and an unusual amount of good feeling pervaded the entire doings of the meeting. After an animated discussion, Professor DEVIE' "Algebras" were recommended as text books on that science, and the Association adopted as reading books Professor MANSFIELD'S "Course of Reading," "Reading and Oratory," "The Student," edited by N. A. CALKINS, and "Webb's 1st, 2d, and 3d books."

The next meeting will be held at Southold on the 4th and 5th of January, 1855.

Very respectfully,
JAMES CRUIKSHANK, Corres. Secy.

BELLMORE, L. I., Oct. 7, 1854.

The Great Baby Show—Barnum in the Field.

BRIDGEPORT, Ct., Monday, Oct. 9, 1854.

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

I perceive that the citizens of the Buckeye State have "stolen my thunder". Eight months since I announced the idea of a "National Baby Show" at the American Museum. I offered a list of premiums for a similar purpose to our County Agricultural Society in Stamford, Ct., but through the squeamishness of some of the managers, my propositions were rejected. I will soon publish a list of premiums and arrangements, which will make the great National Baby Show to be held at the American Museum in November next, the most attractive exhibition ever seen in New-York.

Truly yours, P. T. BARNUM.

Letter from Mr. Delavan.

From the Temperance Journal.

The following letter has been received by a gentleman in this City from Mr. DELAVAN, which will be read with interest:

DALLSTON CENTER, N. Y., Friday, Sept. 22, 1854.

MY DEAR BROTHER AND FRIEND: I have your note informing me of the great moral victory in Maine.

The fears you have all along expressed, that the Whig party in this State would not nominate a sound temperance man, and up to the requirements of a Prohibitory law, thank God, have not been realized. At the Convention held on the 20th inst., at Syracuse, Hon. MYRON H. CLARK was unanimously nominated for the office of Governor of the Empire State. Mr. CLARK was a Senator last Winter, and was indefatigable in procuring the passage of the bill which Governor SEYMOUR vetoed. He is a man of high moral and religious character, and I have not a doubt we shall elect him by a vast majority. Hon. HENRY J. RAYMOND, who was nominated for Lieutenant Governor, is a gentleman of the highest order of intellect and character. I doubt not he is as sound as Mr. CLARK on the point of the Prohibitory principle, so that when the Temperance Convention shall meet at Auburn on the 27th inst., it will have but little to do, but to endorse the nomination of the Whig Convention and exchange congratulations.

And now, my dear friend, let us thank God and take courage. My mind travels back to that period about twenty-five years since, when only two or three individuals in the city of Albany, ventured to declare it as their opinions, that distilled spirits were injurious as a beverage in health, and how they were denounced as all but fools and madmen. How evident it is, my friend, that the Almighty is working with great power on the intelligent mind everywhere, and bringing the mind to a right understanding as to the cause and cure of one of the greatest evils which afflict the world.

Let us be humble under our victories—let us be kind and conciliatory with those not yet with us, although we must be as firm as a rock to our principles. Let us continue our plan of enlightenment to the greatest possible extent, for to insure success we must not be content with a bare majority.

I write in haste, and remain, as ever, your friend,
EDWARD C. DELAVAN.

What the Whig Party in the Slave States is Advised to do.

From the Charleston Mercury, Oct. 2.

A few days ago, we published in our columns, an editorial from the Baltimore *Patriot*, casting off its connection with the Whig party of the North. The sectional grounds which this party in the North has taken, throughout New-England and in New-York, against the institution of Slavery, renders it impossible, in the opinion of the Baltimore *Patriot*, for the Whigs of the South to have any further connection with them. We do not doubt that the course of the Whigs in New-York and New England will be followed by that party in all the Free States. The question put by Mr. WEBSTER, on a memorable occasion, will then occur to the Whig party of the South: "Where are they to go?" If they attempt to keep up a political association with the Whig party of the North, they must lose all power in the South. That party is now thoroughly Abolitionized by the SEWARDS and SUMNERS of the North. There is, it appears, but one of two courses for the Southern Whigs to pursue—they must organize themselves as an independent Southern Party, or they must join the Democratic party of the South.

We think that it will be very difficult for them to merge themselves into the Democratic Party, for two reasons: first, their antipathies will be in the way; and, second, they must lose position by this policy.

Men are governed in parties as much by feelings as principles. A policy may often be good, yet men will go against it, solely because those whom they have been accustomed to oppose or hate, support it. Such feelings may be wrong, but they are natural, and they constitute a powerful obstacle to the union of men of opposing parties; in any policy, however essential to the salvation of the country. The other difficulty is equally formidable. Those who drop off from their party, and join their old opponents, cannot expect to command. They must follow. They sink from a position of importance to comparative insignificance. Messrs. COBB, FOOT, CLEMENS and BENTON, Democrats, left their party, and joined the Whig party in the South, for the holy purpose of saving our blessed and glorious Union. Where are they? Unfortunately for them the Union won't stand saved. Its perils, in spite of their patriotic endeavors, are as great as ever, and they are regarded only as monuments of treachery.

A separate organization on sectional Southern ground—the defender of Slavery,—it appears to us, is the most likely policy for the Whigs of the South to pursue. On this ground, they are compelled to separate from their party of the North; and on this ground, they can, with propriety, plant their organization in the South. Instead of going over to the Democratic party of the South, a large portion of this party will most probably go over to them. The election of General TAYLOR was an instance of just such a result. And should the sectional controversy, which now appears inevitable, arise, they will be the leaders in the controversy. They will be the head of the great Southern party, which will advocate Southern resistance to the Abolition encroachments of the North, and Southern independence. The Democratic party of the South will be slow again to take the lead in such a controversy. They are distrustful of the Southern Whigs who abandoned them in the Secession contest of 1850, and they have at the North, the only portion of the Northern people in sympathy with them, who are prepared to support the rights of the South. They can probably control the National Convention, which will nominate the candidate of the Democratic party for the Presidency, and the offices and honors of the General Government will appear still open to their acquisition or control. They have far stronger ties, therefore, to bind them to the national party organization than the Southern Whigs. They will fill, it may be, in carrying their candidate into the Presidential chair; but this will not be the opinion of the party, and they will serve to hold together at least through the next Presidential election. If, however, the Southern Whigs organize exclusively, a great independent sectional Southern party, the next Presidential election will leave them at the head of the South. The two sections of the Union will be arrayed against each other, on the question of Slavery, and all national party associations will then be dissolved. Without being a prophet, such it appears to us, will be the probable course of things.

THE SUSPENSION BRIDGE ACROSS THE INDUS.—Large quantities of English iron have reached Atok for this work.

DEATH OF A BOTANIST.—Dr. BUCHNERY, the Professor of Botany at the University of Heidelberg, died on the 11th ult.

MURDER TRIALS.

TRIAL OF DR. GRAHAM,

Indicted of Charles Jager for the Murder of John Moran.

COURT OF OYER AND TERMINER.

TUESDAY, Oct. 10.

Before Hon. Judge Rockwell.

The Court was opened this morning about 11 o'clock. Long previous to that hour, however, the room was crowded by spectators, brought together probably by a desire to see the prisoner, Graham, now awaiting his sentence for the murder of Col. Lawrence. He was not rendered, inasmuch as the minds similar cases is that persons found guilty on which a charge are not sentenced until the close of the term. An intense anxiety has been manifested to see how the prisoner bore the verdict, and not a little speculation has prevailed as to the course of the sentence that may be passed upon him. In the revised volume of the Revised Statutes, under the head Manslaughter, Sec. 1, § 20, it is laid down that the punishment to be awarded persons found guilty of Manslaughter in the second degree, shall be imprisonment in the State Prison for a term of not less than four and not more than seven years. There is considerable latitude of opinion, therefore, as to the severity of the judicial judgment he has to meet, but few seem to regard the verdict as a harsh one.

The Court was opened at 11 o'clock. In proceeding to take up the next case on the list, a conversation sprung up between the District Attorney and Mr. Spencer, in which the latter stated that, in consequence of some talk he had had on the previous day with Mr. Shepard, he was led to believe that the next case down for trial—that of John Fowkes—would not be called up before Wednesday morning.

The District Attorney denied that anything he might have said could have led to such an impression, but expressed his willingness to arrange matters so that no time should be lost.

It was then arranged (His Honor concurring) that the trial of Charles Jager, a Frenchman, charged with the murder of John Moran, at a Dutch lager bier cellar in Albany-street, and found guilty thereof by a Coroner's Jury, should be proceeded with to-day, so far as the testimony of the prosecution was concerned, with the exception of the medical evidence.

Trial of Charles Jager for the Murder of John Moran.

The case of Charles Graham, to whom Mr. Bushman was assigned as counsel, was fixed for hearing on the second Thursday.

The Court then proceeded to empanel a Jury in the above case. After considerable trouble the following twelve gentlemen were sworn:

Thomas Warren, (foreman,) John Burrell, David C. Lampson, Charles Johnson, Jas. M. Crocheron, James Nathan, Walter L. Childs, Albert McGeed, William C. Magee, Benjamin N. Roach, Martin Ungrich.

The District Attorney, in opening the case briefly stated the facts on which the prisoner was indicted. He said the indictment was for the murder of John Moran, at a basement in Albany-street, between Washington and West-streets, on the 3d of September last. The death of Moran was caused immediately by three stabs in the abdomen with a knife, but in the course of the fray between the deceased man and the prisoner his, (Moran's,) skull was cracked, and other injuries were inflicted on him. It was set up for the prisoner that he was acting in self-defence. It would be necessary, therefore, that they (the Jury) should know the law so far as it bore upon that point, in order that they might see how far such a plea could be accepted. In order to make out a case of self-defence, it must be shown (or the defence that the prisoner was entirely faultless, and that he saw he was in imminent danger of his own life before resorting to mortally violent measures against his assailant. Where a man in order to meet assaults inflicted with the unarmed hand draws a knife or weapon, no such defence could be set up. In this case no such peril as was requisite to constitute the plea of self-defence a valid one seemed to exist, and no doubt the evidence would establish the fact of the murder.

James Donnelly, called and sworn—*Examined by the District Attorney.*—His evidence in reply to Mr. Shepard's questions was as follows: John Moran, (the deceased,) John Farley, John Welsh and I were all together on Sunday morning, the 3rd September last, at about half-past one o'clock; we came at John Bushman's place, in Albany-street, between Washington and West-streets, but I don't know the number; John Bushman, Adolph Temple and Charles Jager, the prisoner at the bar, were in this house at that time; as we went in, John Bushman tipped me on the chin; I knew Bushman a right for two or three weeks before that night, and had spoken to him before; after we went in Bushman and the deceased began to talk about something that I did not know anything about; they laid hands on each other's shoulders and went aside talking, as I thought, in a friendly manner; they began to speak a little loud, and John Farley told them to leave off fooling and come and have a drink.

Q.—What was done then? A.—John Bushman spoke in a language I did not understand to the bar-keeper, Charles Jager.

Q.—Where was Jager at that time? A.—Behind the bar.

Q.—Where were Bushman and Moran standing? A.—Bushman and Moran were right from the bar about two feet or so, I suppose.

Q.—Then Bushman and Moran stood on one side of the bar and Jager stood behind it on the other? A.—Yes; Jager was behind the bar at the end.

Q.—What next took place? A.—Jager went from behind the bar, with his left hand, as I thought, going along under the bar, and went over to Moran, the deceased.

Q.—What did Jager say or do? A.—He said nothing; I saw him do nothing, but he went behind the bar again.

Q.—What next took place? A.—Deceased and John Bushman came round in front of the bar.

Q.—Where were they before? A.—At the end of it as you go behind.

Q.—What took place after the deceased and Bushman came in front of the bar? A.—Charles Jager turned around and took a lemon syrup bottle from beside him and broke it across the skull of the deceased there (over the left temple.)

Q.—What next took place? A.—He took another lemon syrup bottle and brought it right across there again over Moran's head; he then took a decanter about half full of brandy, and struck Moran with it over the head.

Q.—What occurred after that? A.—John Bushman hit deceased at the same time with his hand; I told Bushman and Jager not to kill the man—that we did not come in to make a noise; then we took deceased out on the sidewalk to look for a doctor; after the doctor dressed him up a little he was taken to the Hospital.

Q.—Where abouts did Moran stand when Jager went up to him? A.—He stand about two feet from the end of the bar.

Q.—Did Jager walk along the bar with his left or right side towards it? A.—With his left side towards it.

Q.—How near did he go to Moran? A.—He went close up to him—as close as he could go.

Q.—How was Jager's face turned at that time? A.—He was facing Moran at the time that John Bushman spoke to him, and was facing Bushman and Moran when he came to the table. I was behind the door, about two yards and a half I should say, from them.

Q.—Could you see the prisoner where you stood? A.—Yes; I could see them.

Q.—Was there anybody between you and them? A.—John Farley and John Welsh were going through the house and walked between us.

Q.—Between you, and Moran and Jager? A.—Yes.

Q.—How long did Jager stand close to Moran? A.—Not two minutes.

Q.—How fast did Jager walk when he went round the bar to Moran? A.—He walked pretty smart.

Q.—How much less than two minutes did he stand facing Moran? A.—I could not say.

Q.—How did he stand facing Moran; did he move or keep at rest? A.—I did not look.

Mr. Spencer submitted that this was cross-examination on the witness's statement that when Jager came along behind the bar to Moran he did nothing.

The District Attorney said, in reply, that his object was to bring out the facts.

Witness continued—I saw him do nothing; but he might have done something for John Farley and John Welsh were between us and him.

Q.—Had he stood with them, he was facing Moran? A.—No. But he stood and went back as quick as he then did he did afterward.

District Attorney—Did you see any blows struck? A.—No; after he had gone round the bar with Moran and Bushman was gone, I saw blows there that Jager struck Moran with the bottles.

Q.—Did you know the general state of his health?

Mr. Spencer objected, and the District Attorney yielded.

Q.—How long had you known John Moran previous to his death? A.—I had known him for three years, and saw him mostly every day during that time; he and I worked for one man.

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Q.—Did you see him all the time that he made the above? A.—I saw him make the above.

Q.—Can you say that at that time his hand was within a foot and a half of Moran? A.—I cannot say that he was within a foot and a half of him.

Q.—Can you say that you saw any one make these shoves with his hand? A.—No, I did not.

Q.—Could Jager have made these shoves and you not see it? A.—He might have made these shoves, because at the time I saw him make the above I was trying to make Bushman break his hold of Moran. At the time I saw him go to hand the knife, I thought he was going to stab the man, and I ran to break the hold of Moran and Bushman.

Q.—What became of Jager then? A.—He kept still for about two minutes.

Q.—Did you see any motion? A.—No.

Q.—Did you hear any cry from Moran? A.—No.

Q.—At this time how close was Bushman to Moran? A.—About the breadth of the bar.

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Q.—Did I understand you correctly, just now, to say that when Jager made this above he stood still? A.—Well, of course he stood still when he made the above; I brought Moran out, and Jager remained inside.

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Considerable difficulty here arose between the witness and Mr. Spencer, in the endeavor on the part of the former to explain the relative position of the parties at the time when Jager went up to Moran.

Moran he said, was standing at the corner of the counter, with his body partly projecting over the edge; the witness was standing at his right hand, and in front of the counter. Bushman stood at the end of the counter, not close to it, and at the other side of Moran, partly facing him and each of them grasping the other by the shoulder. Jager came up between Bushman and the end of the counter close to Moran, who was standing at the outside corner with his body projecting in part beyond the edge of the counter. It was while in this position, that the witness swore he observed the above made by Jager a hand towards the deceased. The prisoner's hand was concealed from the witness' view by the end of the counter.

To a Juror—The distance from the place where the bottles were to the place were Moran stood was about that (placing his hands about two feet apart.)

Q.—How far was it from the end of the bar to the drawer out of which you saw the knife taken? A.—About five or six feet.

Mr. Spencer—Standing in the position you have described, could Moran have been stabbed on the right side without your seeing it? A.—No.

Q.—Was not this part of his body (the right side of the abdomen) next the counter? A.—It was.

Q.—Suppose he had hit Moran on this occasion with the knife, would the wound, in your judgment, have amounted to more than a mere scratch?

The District Attorney objected, and the Court ruled out the question as obviously inadmissible.

Mr. Spencer remarked that the intestines were not injured.

The District Attorney replied that the peritonitis was out, which was equally dangerous.

Witness (to the District Attorney)—A wound might easily have been given to Moran on the right side of the abdomen where he was standing, without my seeing it, but not straight on the right side of his body.

John Welsh was the next witness examined for the prosecution. His evidence, so far as it went, was substantially the same as that of Donnelly and Farley. He saw Jager go to the drawer and open it, and then go around the bar to where Moran was standing; he did not notice Jager take anything out of the drawer; he (witness) was leaning on the counter, and did not turn around to see what Jager did; Jager returned back inside the bar, and witness did not mind till he saw Moran struck; Moran fell back on his (witness') breast and said, "I am hit;" Bushnall struck Moran with his fist at the same time that Jager struck him with the bottles and decanter.

Edward Dwyer, a police officer, deposed to having seen the deceased and the three witnesses at Dr. Van Deer's door in Greenwich-street on the morning of the 3d September, in the neighborhood of 2 o'clock. He arrested Jager that morning about 3½ o'clock.

A private conversation here arose between the District Attorney and the counsel for the defence. The witness' depositions were submitted to the Judge, and Mr. Spencer said he would admit that Jager resisted the officer who arrested him, but there were statements in the deposition just submitted that had no bearing on the point at issue, and therefore he objected to having them brought forward in the examination. Here in consequence of the absence of the medical gentlemen who were to give evidence for the prosecution, the Court adjourned until 10 o'clock to-day.

THE SUB-TREASURY.

How it Looks and What is Done there.

The Sub-Treasury in this City is a place into the secret corners of which but few people pry. It is not less noteworthy because the public are excluded. We have gathered a few facts touching its history, which may be interesting.

The Sub-Treasury in this City went into operation Oct. 16, 1846, during the Presidency of JAMES K. POLK. Since it has been established, a period of nearly eight years, it has done a business of over $500,000,000 in the way of receipts and disbursements; this would make a yearly average of $62,500,000. Latterly, from various causes, the operations of the office have been largely increased, and the yearly receipts and expenditures now amount to nearly $100,000,000. Shortly after the in-coming of the present Administration, the Secretary of the Treasury ordered the Disbursing Agents of Government to transact their business through the Sub-Treasury Offices throughout the country, and not in the Banks as formerly. This action had the effect of causing the Government Agents to open accounts with the Assistant-Treasurer's Office here. These transactions now amount to $500,000 per month; and the business is rapidly increasing.

Much of the work formerly done at Washington, such as the payment of members of Congress, payment of pensions, &c., is now performed by the New-York Sub-Treasury, and its operations will be still further enlarged by the opening of the Assay Office, the business of which, it is estimated, will amount to $2,500,000 per month, or $30,000,000 per annum, additional.

The amounted labor performed in the Sub-Treasury is very great. An average of two hundred notes, drafts, &c., is paid out daily; never less than eighty, and sometimes as many as *five hundred*; and as these drafts are from all parts of the Union, covered with endorsements in different handwritings, all of which require the most careful scrutiny before payment, it will be seen that the gentlemen who performs that duty has his hands full, besides resting under a weighty responsibility. The drafts are for any amount, from $5 upwards. The largest amount ever paid out on one order was $7,400,000. This was to Count ALMONTE, the Mexican Minister, July 14 of this year.

One would suppose that, in an office transacting so large a business, some mistakes would occur,—that fraudulent or unauthorized drafts would sometimes be honored, and spurious coin be taken out of the millions that pass through the hands of its officers. Both things are of daily occurrence in our oldest Banks, yet no error of any account has so far come to light in the Sub-Treasury. This gratifying result is, no doubt, in a great measure due to one of the regulations of the office, which requires that the record of every transaction involving the receipt or disbursement of money, shall be kept by different clerks. Any error in them is immediately discovered in the disagreement of the accounts. The officers are compelled to exercise great caution, from the fact that Congress has failed to supply any fund to meet deficiencies that may arise from the payment of unauthorized drafts, or from mistakes in the counting of money. All accounts must be made good from the officers themselves have to supply the deficiency out of their own salary.

The present Assistant Treasurer is Mr. JOHN J. CISCO. His salary has heretofore been $6,000 a year, but Congress provided in the bill establishing the Assay Office, that he should be its Treasurer, and his salary be increased to $6,000 per annum. Mr. CISCO gives bonds to the Government to the amount of $400,000; a sum especially not too large, as he has occasionally in his charge from five to seven millions of dollars of Government funds.

The present location of the Sub-Treasury is in the building adjoining the Custom-House, in Wall-street, and in the rear of the same premises in the Assay Office. A more unpromising exterior cannot anywhere be found. The house is two stories in height and square in a dirty yard in front. There is nothing inside to its appearance to indicate the immense business that is transacted within its walls.

The Accident on the New-Haven Railroad.

The Engineer, TIMOTHY SATRN, who was so horribly scalded and otherwise injured by the upsetting of the locomotive of the 4½ o'clock train of the New-Haven Railroad Company on Monday, died the same evening at the New-York Hospital, to which place he had been conveyed for medical assistance. Coroner GAMBLE held an inquest on the body yesterday, and from the testimony adduced it appeared that the accident was caused by the culpable negligence of the switchman employed by the Harlem Railroad Company, which Company employ the men whose duty it is to see that everything is properly placed this side of Williams's Bridge before the train is allowed to pass a station.

In this instance there were six switches at Melrose station, five of which were in their proper position, and one turned in such a manner as to throw the engine and five cars off the track. It was proved by several witnesses that the white flag, which was the signal to the engineer that all was right, was displayed, and the switch-tender, PETER LAWLESS, acknowledged to the conductor and one of the passengers that he was to blame in the matter, the white flag being out instead of the red one, which was the notification for the train to be stopped.

Dr. WRIGHT, house surgeon at the Hospital, testified that the deceased had received very severe and extensive scalds over the body and limbs, which were the cause of death.

The Jury rendered the following verdict:

"That he came to his death by scalds received from the engine belonging to the New-Haven Railroad Company running off the track, at Melrose, Oct. 9, 1854. The Jury believe that it was from the carelessness and negligence of CATRN LAWLESS, the switch-man, employed by the Harlem Railroad Company."

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The deceased was represented as being one of the best men on the road. He was 35 years of age, and a native of New-Haven, Conn., where he leaves a wife and family.

Killed by a Fall of Lumber.

Coroner WILHELM held an inquest yesterday on the body of a boy, twelve years old, named JAMES SHELLIE, who was killed by the falling of a pile of boards in the lumber yard of MILLER, SCHUYLER & Co., No. 303 Eighth-street, where he had been playing. He was discovered by one of the carmen employed by the above firm, who was loading a cart with timber, lying dead under it. An external examination of the body was made by Dr. HASELL, who found numerous contusions in various parts of the body, sufficient to cause death.

The Jury rendered a verdict "that he came to his death by injuries received by the falling of a pile of lumber."

Fires.

At 11½ o'clock on Monday night, a fire broke out in a building at the corner of Fifty-fifth-street and Second-avenue, owned and occupied by HENRY HOGLAND as a grocery and liquor store and dwelling. It was totally consumed, together with stock valued at $700. The building and goods were insured in St. Mark's Fire Insurance Company for $500. It was supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

The alarm of fire, about 6 o'clock last evening, was caused by the burning of a quantity of shavings, at the foot of Thirteenth-street, North River.

Board of Almshouse Governors.

The Board of Almshouse Governors met yesterday afternoon in the Rotunda. Present, Gov. DRAPER, (President,) DUER, DUCKE, WEST, TOWNSEND, FINCHNEY, SMITH, CONOVER. The weekly requisitions give the following as the list of inmates in the various institutions under charge of the Board, for the week ending Oct. 7:

Bellevue Hospital, 120; Lunatic Asylum, 280; Almshouse, 1,637; Penitentiary, 524; Penitentiary Hospital, from Penitentiary, 435; Penitentiary Hospital, from Workhouse, 103; Workhouse, 728; Small-pox Hospital, 8; Randall's Island, 539; Randall's Island Hospital, 216; City Prison, 283; Total, 5,498; Decrease, 74. Number remaining Sept. 30, 5,504; Admitted since Sept. 30, 676; Total, 6,180; Died, 82; Discharged, 777; Sent to Penitentiary, 78; Total, 936.

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Resolved, That the officers in command of the French fleet now in the port of New-York, be invited by the President and Secretary to visit the charitable and other institutions under the management of the Board of Governors.

The following resolution was also adopted:

Resolved, That the President and Secretary of this Board draw their requisitions on the Comptroller of the City of New-York, in his warrants, payable to the order of our President and Secretary, for the sum of $65,000, on account of buildings and repairs.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

COURT CALENDAR—WEDNESDAY, Oct. 10.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—Nos. 67, 19, 20, 68, 21 to 26.

OYER AND TERMINER.—Murder trial.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—Oct. 10.

Before Judge Betts.

The Admiralty calendar was called through this morning without any business being found ready for the Court.

Before Judge Ingersoll.

At the opening of Court this morning, Warren Judkins, who has been charged with counterfeiting, withdrew his plea of not guilty, and pleaded guilty.

James Williams and John Blair were then put on trial, charged with passing counterfeit coin.

Mr. Allen appeared for the accused, and requested that they might be tried separately. The Court, however, declined to order separate trials.

The prosecution gave evidence that the accused went into an oyster saloon in Brooklyn in July last, and after having some oysters, Blair presented money for them, and offered a counterfeit half dollar in payment. On its being told him, he gave other money. No other bad money was found on him. Williams was also arrested, and searched, and a number of five or six other bad half dollars were found on him. The defence objected to the evidence of the young man who took the half dollar, on the ground that he had made a bet that the accused would be convicted. It appearing, however, that some man in the Court-room had offered to bet with the witness, and they had make a bet of "four suppers" on the subject, the testimony was received.

The defence proved by a witness named Smallman, that he and Williams were walking up the Bowery in July last, when Williams found a small number of half dollars. Both witnesses proved good character during their residence in this district.

The Jury brought in a verdict of not guilty as to Blair, and guilty as to Williams, but with a recommendation to mercy.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

QUEENS TERM—SEPTEMBER 25.—Oct. 11.

Before Hon. Recorder Tiffany.

The first case tried in this Court yesterday was a charge brought from the immediate neighborhood of stage-drivers to overcrowd their vehicles, and irritate the temper of our peaceable citizens. A young man, a bookbinder, in the store No. 40 John-street, departed that on Aug. 1, about 8 P. M., he got into one of the Bowery and Grand-street stages, not one-third full. It was raining hard, and the stage was overcrowded—17 people being inside, of whom five were standing. When opposite Bayard's brewery, Hester-street, the defendant in this case, got upon the steps of the stage, keeping the door open, and causing the lady's dress to be draggled in the rain. He was asked to allow the door to be shut, but he refused, and without very much ceremony, responding the complainant to get out and fight—an invitation with which complainant, being a peaceable man, did not feel inclined to comply, as he said to the man Greenwald—"You ought to be ashamed of yourself; you are old enough to know better." The plaintiff, not one of the stage at the corner of Grand and Orchard, and while he was in the act of alighting, Greenwald struck him in the cheek, knocking him against the stage. As soon as he recovered himself, complainant sought him again; but, with commendable self-control, he refrained from striking back.

Mr. Talmadge, for defendant, wished to know how many persons were in the stage, whether they were crowded, and if the usual legal notice was taken on the subject, which it was not. The plaintiff only knew that there were seventeen inside the stage at the time, and that the defendant wanted to get in and make the disturbance for fear he should be crowded out. It appeared that a gentleman got out of the stage to Christopher-street, and by the Recorder's request, and that the passing test for new and unnecessarily wedged it to a lady, which was another cause of complaint on the part of those who thought the lady might have stood, while he enjoyed the seat. Mr. Talmadge was rather severe in the terms of his cross-examination, by his question implied that if there was room for the lady, there was room for the gentleman, which case, of course, the lady might have done as the defendant was entitled to stand on the step outside. The plaintiff very properly replied that he had given up his seat to a lady, who would not resign it at the Tudo demand, and became a member of the defendant.

Ellen Rice deposed that she accompanied the plaintiff in the stage at the time in question, noticed the improper behaviour of the defendant, and saw him strike the blows

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Signs of Progress.

A very significant controversy is just now in progress between the Washington Union and the *Richmond Enquirer*, in regard to the position and political standing of General Cass. In 1848 he was the Democratic Candidate for the Presidency, nominated by the Slaveholding interest, accepted as its representative and champion, and defeated by the Democracy of the Free States on that very account. In his famous NICHOLSON letter he had laid down the principles of what was styled "Squatter Sovereignty," which DOUGLAS has since introduced into the Nebraska bill, and upon which the Northern Democracy are making a feeble attempt to rally their shattered forces. The Richmond *Enquirer* was then as it is now, the leading exponent of the sentiments and purposes of the Democratic party in the Slaveholding States. It supported General Cass, vindicated his claims to Southern confidence and waged a vigorous and effective warfare on his behalf.

Gen. Cass has not changed; but the times have, and so has the Richmond *Enquirer*. The General's views on Slavery are now precisely what they were six years ago. But the *Enquirer's* banner has been advanced. Slavery has made new conquests. It aims at a new and more complete ascendancy. And as a natural consequence, it makes new exactions upon those who seek power through its alliance. The *Enquirer* now denounces Gen. Cass, with emphasis and vehemence, as holding opinions upon Slavery which render him unworthy the confidence of the Southern States. It seems that in some recent speeches Gen. Cass has expressed the opinion that "Slavery is a great social and political evil," and even thanked God that he lived in a Free State. He has furthermore declared that, in his opinion, Slavery cannot exist in any Territory or State except by force of positive law—and that the explicit permission of the Legislatures of Kansas and Nebraska will therefore be required for its admission there. These are with him no new opinions; he held them in 1848, and he has held them ever since. But the Richmond *Enquirer*, and those whom it represents, are no longer content with this profession of faith. In view of the new exactions of Slavery, it falls far short of the standard required. General Cass is, therefore, denounced by them as no longer entitled to their confidence, and will be compelled to give way to newer men, whose views are more nearly in accordance with the present requirements of the Slaveholding interest. Such men, of course, can easily be found, not only at the South, but still more abundantly in the Free States.

This incident in the political discussions of the day is important, as showing the direction and length of the road on which these politicians enter, who make it the *great aim of their policy to act in harmony* with the South. It shows the utter impossibility of preserving any such harmonious cooperation, except on terms which degrade freemen, and menace the permanent welfare of the Republic. The experience of these Whigs whose chief endeavor has been to preserve their *nationality*, that is to take no ground distasteful to the Slaveholding interest, is full of instruction and of warning on this subject. As long as they could be used, they were flattered and petted. When their work had been done, the repudiation of the Missouri Compromise evinced the gratitude of those they had served. Each concession is made the ground of fresh exactions;—and it is just as fatal to refuse the last, as it would have been to resist the first demand.

The path of safety is the path of duty and of fixed fidelity to freedom and the Constitution. If the public men of the Free States would stand like adamant against the aggressions of Slavery, and in defence of their own rights, they would speedily achieve their deliverance from that thraldom which now presses so heavily upon them. And unless they do so, the future is pregnant with even greater degradations than any of those to which they have been compelled to stoop hitherto.

Pennsylvania and Ohio Elections.

The general election for Governor, Congressmen and Legislators in Pennsylvania, took place yesterday. The telegraph this morning reports partial but *decidedly* aggressive returns from various sections of the Commonwealth. On the Governor's contest they point to the success of JAMES POLLOCK, the Whig candidate, over WILLIAM BIGLER, the present Democratic incumbent, who beat Governor JOHNSTON, Whig, in 1851, by a majority of 9,446. At that time BIGLER went out of the City and County of Philadelphia with a majority of 241. The intelligence of the returns this morning indicates that the majority in the City and County will exceed by thousands.

In the country, the gains made by POLLOCK over the vote of 1851 appear to be large and general; particularly in the county (Berks) where a very decided Native American or Know-Nothing ticket was probably brought in to help his Straw, as it certainly was in the city and county. In Allegheny County, including the City of Pittsburg, his majority will be 4,000 against 2,514 for Johnston in 1851. In Dauphin, including the city of Harrisburg, his majority is 1,500, against 1,000 in 1851. From other counties partially reported, there appears to certainly gain for Mr. P.

The First Congressional District, composed of the old districts of Southwark and part of the old city of Philadelphia, is reported to have returned Hon. THADDEUS STEVENS, the present Democratic incumbent, by a majority of 2,000. The Democratic majority in Northumberland County is 1,500, against 1,600 in 1851. The Whigs have carried Luzerne, Columbia, Montour and Wyoming, where the Democratic majority two years ago was 2,978, is reported to have returned Mr. EVERAM, Whig, over Hon. HENDERSON B. WRIGHT, the present Democratic member. The Second District, composed of the old City of Philadelphia, will return Mr. JOB R. TYSON, regular Whig, over Hon. JOSEPH B. CHANDLER, present member, who, on failing to get the nomination, made an independent canvass, on the plea of proscription for his religious opinions, Mr. C. being a Roman Catholic. The Democrats, it is understood, would throw most of their votes for Mr. CHANDLER.

In Ohio, the Anti-Nebraska feeling in the Western Reserve, and the American or Know-Nothing Reform ticket in Cincinnati, have given the Whigs the Cleveland Congressman, WM. E. WADE, by 4,000 majority, and two members in the Cincinnati and Hamilton Districts. There were no State *issues this year, except for a Judge of the* Supreme Bench and a member of the Board of Public Works. There was no Legislative election this year. The Whigs and Anti-Nebraska parties made a joint nomination for the two State offices, and will, no doubt, carry them.

City Nominations.

The Whig Mayoralty Convention last evening nominated JOHN J. HERRICK for Mayor. Mr. HERRICK is a flour merchant, and has not hitherto been prominent in politics. His competitors were MERWIN R. BEEMER, ROBERT T. HAWS, and one or two others, who received scattering votes; but the principal contest lay between Mr. HERRICK and Mr. BEEMER—the former receiving 37 votes, and the latter 26 votes on the last ballot.

The Independent nomination of Mr. JOHN M. GEIST for Mayor was ratified last night by a public meeting in Broadway. The resolutions endorsing the nominee were passed unanimously, but a disturbance was subsequently occasioned by the disorderly conduct of interested parties, and the meeting adjourned in confusion. There are now six candidates for Mayor in the field; and the Municipal Reform nomination is yet to be made, Mr. DEAN having declined to run. FERNANDO WOOD is in nomination by the Softs and one wing of the Hards, and JAMES S. LIBBY, ex-Alderman and President of the Sixth-avenue Railroad Company, by the refractory Hards. C. C. LEIGH is the Temperance candidate; and JAMES W. BARKER, the nominee of the Native Americans.

Two nominations for Alms-House Governor were made last night. The Whigs have nominated Dr. JAMES R. WOOD; and the Softs, DANIEL F. TIEMANN. For Register, the Tammanyites have nominated Mr. HENRY D. JOHNSON. Mr. JOHNSON was formerly Deputy Register, and now occupies the berth of Custom-House Inspector.

The Graham Case.

As we stated in a large part of our edition of yesterday morning, the Jury in the case of Dr. GRAHAM returned a verdict at 9½ o'clock, of *Manslaughter in the second degree*. A delay of twenty days was granted by the Court, in passing sentence, to enable GRAHAM's counsel to prepare a bill of exceptions, on which to base an application for a new trial. Whether such an application will prove successful, and whether upon a new trial any verdict less severe *would be returned*, are *matters of course* of mere conjecture. The penalty affixed by law to the crime of which Dr. GRAHAM *stands convicted*, is confinement in the State Prison for not less than *four*, nor more than *seven* years.

So far as we have had an opportunity of ascertaining public sentiment, we believe the verdict meets with general approbation. It certainly is not condemned in any quarter as unjustly severe. It is stated, we do not know on what authority, that nine of the eleven jurors were in favor of a verdict of murder. GRAHAM himself, we understand, confidently expected an acquittal. It is not easy to see on what grounds such an expectation could be entertained, unless upon an assumption that in New-Orleans a very different sentiment prevails concerning such affrays as that in which Major *LOXINO lost his life*.

We have no disposition at present to comment at length on the manner in which the trial was conducted. It is scarcely to be supposed, however, that in any new trial, greater latitude could be given to the prisoner's counsel than they enjoyed in this case. It is to the intelligent firmness of the Jury, far more than to the Court or the District Attorney, that the community is indebted for whatever, in the progress and result of the trial, reflects credit on our legal tribunals. But for their resolute and indignant protest, a relative of a party indicted for murder would have been allowed to pronounce, in the name of justice and the law, on the question of his guilt.

There is considerable eagerness in the public mind to know how Mr. GEO. WELLMAN WALKER came to be upon the Jury. Whether the prisoner's counsel knew of his relationship to their client, is a question that can scarcely be asked without impeaching their fidelity to a public trust; and yet the fact that no one of them disclaimed such knowledge, even when constrained to consent to his withdrawal, not only prompts the question but suggests an answer. Mr. WALKER is said to be a merchant in this City, a member of the New-York Club, and a gentleman of position and character. How he came to be upon the Jury, and how he could consent to serve upon it, in view of his oath on the one hand and of his connection with the prisoner on the other, are points which he must settle for himself. It does not appear that he was subjected to any interrogation on either side. Our report of the trial simply records that "*GEORGE WELLMAN WALKER* was called and admitted without challenge, having formed no opinion."

The fact of his presence there should prompt to a scrutiny of the manner in which jury panels are drawn at the office of the County Clerk. Persons in the habit of attending scenes of our Courts, where the pay for jury duty is a dollar and a half a day, have probably observed the same individuals in the jury box far more frequently than could possibly happen in the ordinary course of events; and we believe we state a fact within the knowledge of many individuals, that names drawn for the panel are frequently *changed*, at the request of the parties themselves or of those who desire to be their substitutes. Such a practice as this ought to be instantly and permanently stopped. We do not know that it was resorted to *in the present case*; but the *fact* that it can be done in any case is quite enough to throw suspicion upon our Courts of Law.

The Rationale of Verdicts.

The verdict in Dr. GRAHAM's case may or may not please the public. The *degree* of his guilt has been, and will remain, matter of opinion. It may be noticed, however, among the suggestions of legal experience, that in Great Britain, whence the main principles and practice of our law are derived, such a culprit as Dr. GRAHAM must either have been found guilty of murder, or have been *wholly acquitted*. *In England* and Ireland, a man can be tried for only one offence. He cannot be tried for the manslaughter as well as for the *murder of* another. The prosecutor must elect for what degree of crime the accused is to be indicted, and he is tried for that and that alone. In Scotland the law and the practice are different. They somewhat resemble our own, and are more reconcilable with common sense. For example, a prisoner may be tried in a Scottish Court of law for murder, and if the evidence appear inadequate to procure a conviction on that heaviest charge, the public prosecutor (a person wholly unknown in England and Ireland) may declare, during any stage of the trial, that he abandons the capital accusation, and submit the case to the Jury simply on the minor accusation of manslaughter. The practical difference, therefore, between the jurisprudence of England and Scotland in such a case as this of Dr. GRAHAM, would have been this: That in England the accused, simply indicted for wilful murder, would have been acquitted if the Jury had believed him to have committed manslaughter only. In Scotland, on the other hand, the verdict would have been delivered precisely upon the same principle as in our own Courts. A man was killed, it was proven that he was killed by the accused, and the question for consideration was, how far the killing may have been wilful and of *malice prepense*—how far it may have been provoked, or accidental, or from an unpremeditated impulse. In England, unless it really *were* wilful murder, the accused would have escaped. This uncertainty has the effect, there, of having the accused indicted only for the *minor* offence, when there is the slightest chance of his not being convicted of the *major*.

In French jurisprudence, the practice actually includes the leading principles of Scottish and English law. A man may there be indicted for murder. The jury, finding that he has killed a man, (though there may be peculiarities which reduce the crime to something less than "wilful murder,") will convict him of the killing and slaying, but to the verdict of "Guilty," will then add the saving words, "with extenuating circumstances." A verdict, thus qualified, invariably rescues the accused from capital punishment.

It was rumored during the trial of Dr. GRAHAM, that the Jury would probably not agree to any verdict,—a mode of non-decision which would have involved another trial of the accused. In requiring unanimity from our Juries, we follow the English law. *It certainly does appear something of* an anomaly to expect that twelve men, indifferently selected from a body of persons qualified to sit on Juries, shall *all* agree in the same opinion, on the same proofs or disproofs. Yet such has been the English practice for a thousand years, and such practice we have followed in this country. Nor, we must confess, are the instances very numerous in which the ends of justice have been defeated by the requirement of unanimity. In such a case as this of Dr. GRAHAM, (where some of the Jury were of opinion that wilful murder had been committed, while the "extenuating circumstances" weighed seriously with the rest,) a compromise is often arrived at—though the non-agreement of the Jurors sometimes involves a second trial. In Scotland, on the other hand, the verdict is given by the majority of the Jurors. Of course, cases very frequently occur where the decision will be unanimous, but, when a difference of opinion takes place, that of the majority constitutes the verdict. In all probability, before long, the English will assimilate with the Scottish verdict-giving. The leading Jurisconsults in and out of Parliament, in England, appear inclined to accept the verdict of the majority. Perhaps, had the principle been in operation in this country during the present week, a heavier verdict might have been recorded, instead of the compromise now entered on the case of Dr. GRAHAM.

Fall.

The season of yellow leaves, oysters, heavy bonnets and woolen clothing has arrived. Hatters rush into wild vagaries in silk and beaver which they endeavor to palm off upon a *confiding public* as "the Fall style." The bills of Madame FERRERE's are found to read about this period. Mr. PAGE begins to cast a longing eye upon sable tippets, and GEORGE velvet cloaks with ermine trimmings. She cannot do without a couple of bonnets at thirty-five dollars apiece, to suit the season, and that charming purple silk with the black stripes that run "bias," will just do to make up until Winter sets in. Poor Mr. PAGE little dreams, while he is down town working like a galley slave to meet his three months' notes, that there is a frightful hole at the other end of his purse, through which the money runs out, no matter how fast he puts it in.

We have an eruption of school-boys all over the city just now. The vacations have just ceased, and all the youngsters are either passing through on their way to Greek verbs and Latin prosody, or are enjoying the two or three days grace that town parents give their children previous to consigning them for another six months to the mercies of their reverse pedagogues. They make known their presence in town very speedily. They tumble up stairs to you before you are out of bed, to pay you a morning visit. They wheedle you into taking them to *NIBLO'S*, where they disgrace you by talking loud, and shriek like Indians when the cabbage in *Amphitryon* begins to spout. In the street they are terrible. When they are not bolting into the windows of the print shops, they are distributing explosive balls in unexpected places, or are getting run over by a butcher's cart. They are fond too, of combating *in lonely places with stones, but their missiles* have the remarkable faculty of hitting everybody except themselves. They shriek under your windows, tear your books, smoke your cigars, appropriate your brandy if they get a chance, and then blurt out before company that they saw you kissing Emily in the back parlor. They come in the Fall.

Saratoga and Newport are getting lonely. The Summer finery with which they were bedizened; the Summer life that throbbed through their hotels are gone. The one is packed up in trunks not to be seen again until next June. The other, like a dormouse, is dozing into its winter sleep. The furniture in the Summer villas is covered up. The saloons of the hotels echo emptily. The corps of waiters is decimated. The gambling tables have migrated to other regions, and the poor watering place has, like *Jacques* in the Honeymoon, after a brief reign of mock splendor, to subside again into the humble village.

And the people that thronged there! How do they return, and what account can they give of their Summer's vacation? Have they gone out honestly into the country, risen early and caught the dew upon the grass? Have they lived frugal, simple lives, taken wholesome exercise, and brought back to the town renewed youth and strengthened constitutions? Alas! The dancing room will tell you, where, by lamplight, they have whirled with fading cheeks, until the small hours came on. The livery-stable keepers will tell you from whom they have hired the wagons in which they *took long dusty drives*, which were but an excuse for champaign. The gaming tables will tell you, over which they have sat night after night with fevered tongues and trembling hand. And the pale cheeks, and lustreless eyes, and dreary, tired hearts will tell you, all of which they bring back to town with them in the Fall.

People who have not been able to afford to go out of town, and who consequently have immured themselves within the walls of their own house, which in front is blinded up, now make their appearance, with cloister complexions, and talk rapturously of the country. They have not been, they say, to any of the fashionable watering places. They love quiet, so they went into the real country this time. And so they talk sham pastorals to people who know that they are lying. That is keeping up appearances in the Fall.

Publishers now begin to issue new works. "Society and Starvation," and other brilliant works of the same class gush upon the reading public. Travelers give us their wanderings in the Moon, and Poets collect all their newspaper "offerings" and inflict them on the public in a volume. Critics at this season begin to sharpen their pens. Young men begin to go out of evenings. A few feeble parties struggle into existence, gathering strength as the season rolls on. Over-coats are being invented by ambitious tailors, who contrive invariably to fashion them so, that last year's coat will never do. Politics are rampant, stocks are improving, excursions are dying off, the swimming baths are preparing to retire into port previous to being laid up for the winter; and black hats, hot suppers, short days, and notes of invitation, all indicate that the Fall has come.

A Brother in Chivalry.

There has been some discussion in the London newspapers touching a reported speech, said to have been spoken by Prince ALBERT at the last dinner he partook of at Boulogne with M. BONAPARTE, "Emperor of the French by the grace of God and the will of the French People." One newspaper declares that the Prince said that the Emperor would be welcomed by the English people, if he crossed the Channel. Another gave it that his Royal Highness expressed the gratification it would give Queen VICTORIA to see the imperial visitor at Windsor. A third boldly denies that Prince ALBERT made any speech whatever, having only made a bow—eloquent as Lord Burleigh's in *The Critic*—in reply to the complimentary manner with which VICTORIA's health was given and drunk.

It would appear, however, that a public proof of the friendly feeling of VICTORIA for LOUIS NAPOLEON is about being given. The apartments in Windsor Castle, occupied by the Emperor of Russia when he visited England some ten or eleven years ago, are said to be in course of refitting and redecoration, to prepare them for the reception of LOUIS NAPOLEON and his wife, who are expected, on a warm invitation in her own hand-writing, on a visit to Queen VICTORIA, before the Christmas holidays. Should this take place, it will prove better than a bushel of protocols, that the present alliance between France and England is real and cordial on the part of VICTORIA, (whatever it may be on that of Lord ABERDEEN,) and that England has decidedly quitted the Continental system.

More than this, it is said that the Garter, vacant by the recent death of the King of Saxony, is to be given to the French Emperor, who will be invested by Queen VICTORIA *herself*. And thus he, who, a few years ago, was an unnoticed, involved, and doubtful character in London, will now become a "brother in chivalry," a member of the Order of the Garter, of which VICTORIA is Sovereign. Strange are the vicissitudes of politics and persons.

Prices Rise but Never Fall.

The variations in the prices of provisions are like some people's reciprocities—all on one side. Like the tranks of the beasts that went to visit the lion, they all point in the same direction. Prices go up, and never come down again. Potatoes, under the pressure of a croaking panic, advance in price, and though by the quantity they fall again, they who buy by the small measure have to pay the panic price right on. Flour goes up in war prices, but when it comes to be cheapest on the other side of the Atlantic than here, not a whit larger or a grain heavier grow our loaves. Cattle become dear, because everybody prophesies that they will be scarce, but when short fodder and scant pasture bring unusually large droves to town, and the prospect of a stringent liquor law and an awakening of fresh interest in the anti-rum question, drives them to the butchers' stalls, prices are as cheap as the chattels by weather, cracks are as sharp, and roasting pieces are still held at rich man's rates.

When the meat falls, the bunch that grows out of *it falls too*. When cattle are plenty and cheap, why may not beef be retailed at a trifle less than the highest rates? When flour falls week after week, why, gentlemen—our bakers—must we purchase pound loaves at a shilling? When butter pours in abundantly, why must it take a man's day-wages to butter the biscuits for his little ones a week? Because milk was scarce three months ago, is it reason enough to keep our quarts at a pint and a half each through all the Fall?

Butchers, bakers, grocers, should remember that "the eyes of the world are on them," and all their short-comings and slowness to learn how prices have fallen, are *registered*. Customers cannot always stop to explain, but many a good one is lost to a dealer, because the latter is so much quicker to note the rise than the fall of the raw material.

Theatrical.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—One of the prettiest little pieces, in which we have seen Mr. WALLACK for some time, was performed last evening for the second time. It is called "The Violet," and evidently owes its origin to a French mind. The incident—like that of "Sunshine through the Clouds"—is purely domestic. *Andre* (Mr. WALLACK) has two children—one his own, the other an adopted daughter. He has reared them from infancy, and knows no difference, loving them with equal affection, and actually unable (for reasons explained in the play) to detect which is his own. In the midst of his happiness, "an ostrich-like" Marchioness makes her appearance, and claims one of his treasures. A violet mark justifies her claim, and poor *Andre* has to give up one of his daughters. The affectionate trio are separated at last, but, happily, so that they live together.

The interest of this piece devolves entirely on Mr. WALLACK, and so ably does he sustain it, that we can safely say the character of *Andre* is one of his very best.

Prof. Dimitry's Lecture.

Inflamed by the extravagant eulogies of the New-Orleans papers, and a fascinating murmur of his eloquence, we went early last evening to Stuyvesant Institute to hear Professor DIMITRY's lecture, introductory to a brief course that he purposes to deliver to our citizens. About a hundred were gathered in the semicircular lecture-room, and most of them came early. This picked audience was a highly fashionable one, if we may judge from the distance between the ladies' bows of ribbons and bunches of flowers that are called bonnets and their heads, or from the exceeding richness of their dresses or wealth of ornaments. *It did not seem like a New-York* audience, so much as a transferring of the schools that congregate in the parlors of our metropolitan hotels after dinner, to chat and dispose pleasantly of an evening thrown upon their hands. And this seeming was strengthened by the fact that everybody present seemed to be acquainted with everybody else, and occupied each minute up to 8 o'clock in such familiar and social pleasantries as ladies are the life of in public drawing-rooms. Moreover there seemed to be a Celtic centre to the general attraction, and whomsoever else any lady may not have bowed to, or exchanged salutations with, JOHN MITCHEL and T. F. MEAGHER were not neglected. The company very evidently was of the Order that confesses it knows a Thing or Two, and is not abashed at remembering that good blood from a far country warms in the veins.

Prof. DIMITRY was introduced by a well-known citizen and Mr. MEAGHER. He exchanged the spectacles he wore for another pair, and with a well-worded confession to parched lips and a fevered brain, commenced his eloquence and his lecture together.

But about the man. He is a stout, "stocky" man, with bushy hair, full-grown and unshapable whiskers, with a head that should accommodate a large force for argument, and ample room for the elaboration of the ornament he so delights in. He read his lecture, but as he warmed up he forgot the manuscript, or rather made his hearers forget it. It would be folly to attempt a sketch of his reasoning—we scarcely feel competent to announce its drift. The subject announced was "The Migration of Races into Southern Europe;" but the learned lecturer spoke of migrations in general, beginning with the *Dispersion*, touching on that solemn Exodus, when Israel went up out of Egypt and built Jerusalem, and then more at length of that great flocking of all nations through all avenues to Greece, wedding the fate of Asia with Greece; making Greece a land marvelous for its human variety, as Israel had been for its unity. He was most eloquent on this shifting of power out of the hands of the Jews into the Southern peoples—Israel being dragged with shackled wrists, Greece rejoicing in her young redemption. He showed how it was that in *Greece every Asiatic religion* and every European power was represented. He exposed the strength of Rome—pointing out the significant fact that in her Pantheon, every god of every conquered Province had its shrine, its altar, and its image. She overpowered the body by conquest, and the mind by her creed. Sad-hearted men grieved over the ruins of these old dynasties—the decay of these powerful despotisms. But faithful Intelligence saw in their death the revival of their conquering elements—the resurrection of all their strengths from their Pagan graves. Even as they grew weak, their successors in power, the Celtic inheritors of their strength—the Gauls—were growing silently, yet rank as the grass in their sacred groves. While yet despised, the Goal was about to pluck the gray beard of Rome's Senator unwillingly. The Celt took the Roman's strength, but the Celtic god abdicated to Olympian Jove, and so the sceptre would not stop in the Celtic grasp.

The lecturer said that there was a mission given to each of these barbarians, and for every blot of theirs there was a work of preparation for the true God's reign, and for universal civilization. Their mission had been well fulfilled. Thor's hammer and Odin's spear were both needed to break and pierce old superstition and crime—present despotism. Man grows daily stronger with the inheritance of the strength that a hundred migrations have left him. Nature grows weaker and weaker, and succumbs each year more and more to man. They err, who think that the book of progress is written even even to its last page. As the Greeks thought and threw aside a thousand types of animated existence before he tried his plastic hand on Man, so the highest type of civilization, that which we enjoy, comes last and best of a thousand preceding types. But there is a better still to come. In our country, lying between Europe and old Asia, are present the liberties of the peoples that do not yet know the meaning of the word. And these migrations, always so fearful of liberty, yet continuous and will. Nations pass in not through the gaps of mountains, but even paced with the home-breathing locomotive. The untiring traveler of a thousand years still travels. The race is not yet settled. Three-fold fields of corn will swarm with the surplus of Asia and Europe, until corn becomes the over-crowded Continent, and across the Pacific the human tide will set to Asia, passing on with conquering hand, until the feet of American civilization is placed upon the very clay of which God fashioned the first Adam, and set him to keep the garden and afterwards to migrate.

The Professor for an hour and thirty-five minutes held the undivided attention of his audience, and yet it was evident that picked though it was, it was not "up" to half his classical allusions and learned references. The lecture abounded in choice figures, and was ornamented to excess. The lecturer never [illegible]

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Adding it to say, notwithstanding the storms we had to contend with our passage was rendered quite to Gilley through your instrumentality, most agreeable and delightful.

Wishing you and your family to enjoy a long and happy and prosperous life, in the world together, and the Ocean, and we shall meet elsewhere.

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MARY KELLY, HARRIETTE G. MACKENZIE,
ALBERT BOCKENHOUT, CHARLES ALEXANDER BOCKENHOUT.

Also, a large cow likewise presented to Capt. SAMUELS by the Passengers, and also a valuable testimonial, and also by the Steerage passengers, (about 100 in number) all of which concurrently bore testimony to the sailing merits of the Pendemonia, and kindness, skill, and good seamanship of Capt. SAMUELS.

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Oct. 18—A. A. Stitt, Esq. Subject—*Success and the Means.*

Nov. 1—Cornelius Bennehouse, a Member. Subject—*Language.*

Nov. 15—Bryan Young, a Member. Subject—*Government.*

Dec. 6—J. J. Bradshaw, a Member. Subject—*The Hour of the Revolutions and Practical Men.*

Tickets, gentlemen, 25 to cents at the door. Lectures to commence at 8 o'clock.

☞ Irishmen's Civil and Military Republican Institute.—The most important meeting of this organization of the present year, for the purpose of taking stand upon the formation, will be held on THURSDAY EVENING next, 12th inst., at 7½ o'clock, at Church of Christ, No. 5 4th-st. The Constitution will be read, and the Rules which it forms to be adopted, clearly laid before Association. Gentlemen, C. E. EVERS will give his views in regard to the principles upon which a Republican form of Government should be based in future, and will undertake to prove that this Irish society has a future if they have the will to establish Freedom's Twin. He will be followed by Mr. DAVIS. All who are prepared to join the Association will be admitted. Doors open to the public and members of the society at 7 o'clock.

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☞ Twenty-second Ward Municipal Reform.—The friends of Reform in the 22d Ward are requested to meet at the Ward Hotel, on Avenue A, THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING, at the 7th inst., at 7½ o'clock, to take such steps as may be necessary to organize the Ward for the approaching election. By order of the Committee.

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Singular Adventures of a Chambermaid—Matrimonial Speculations—Pages of Address, Robbery, Flight and Exposure.

From the Albany Journal of Monday.

A few months ago, a robust looking person dressed in the becoming garb of a female domestic, made application at BUNT's Intelligence Office, in this city, for a situation to do ordinary housework. Soon after a lady from Schoharie County applied for help of but all whom she selected were unwilling to leave town. The "domestic" above referred to, however, expressed a willingness to engage, but the lady did not like her appearance. But finally she was relucantly constrained to accept of her services. She accordingly engaged her to appear with her trunk at the Mansion House, at 8 o'clock the following morning—where she found her, on time, but quarreling with the hackman, whom she offered sixpence—all the money she said she had—for conveying her box to the place of rendezvous. The lady settled the difficulty, placed her protegé in the stage, and proceeded with her to her pleasant mansion in Old Schoharie.

Nothing transpired for several days to disturb the harmony of master or servant. The latter took hold with most wonderful industry—rising at 4 o'clock every morning and working so long as any work was to be done.

The first remark on her eccentricities was made by a little girl, who one morning entered the parlor, with open mouth and eyes, exclaiming, "Oh! grandma, what do you think, that new girl goes down the cellar stairs at a single jump!" But this was not deemed sufficiently strange to excite any other remark than that she was "a smart girl." New developments, however, were in reserve. A fortnight after, when all the workmen about the premises were at supper—fifteen or twenty in number—the house hold was startled by the thirteen laughter of the men. On acquiring the cause, it appeared that "Elizabeth" had, on a banter, jumped square over the broad table, dishes and all, at a bound, and offered to wager a new bonnet that she would do the same thing if a chair were placed on top of the table—only stipulating for a single step backward. No one, however, accepted the wager, but all concurred that "she was a little the smartest critter in the diggin."

In the course of time, a fellow servant girl (with whom the strange girl roomed) informed her mistress that she could not remain any longer in the family if "Elizabeth" did not leave. She refused to assign any reason for this intimation; but "Elizabeth," when arraigned, said the other servants were angry with her because she "refused to contribute a dollar to the Pretzel." As this was known to be true, "Elizabeth" was told to go to her work and the other girl to leave if she persisted in her demand.

"Elizabeth," continued to grow in favor with all hands, in spite of her apparent stupidity; but she was particularly intimate with one "Patrick," with whom she often took evening rambles. Her mistress chided her for this intimacy, warning her against all "gay deceivers;" but she closed all reproof by the very unexpected piece of information that "*Patrick and she were engaged to be married!!*"

No one suspected anything amiss in "Elizabeth," until one morning, on the return of the gentleman of the house, after several weeks absence. The family were quietly seated at breakfast, with "Elizabeth" serving at table. The gentleman scrutinized her pretty closely, when, as she retired, the breakfast circle was started by his throwing down his knife and fork, and exclaiming, "That girl's a man—didn't you notice her beard?" "Now, don't be boyish with your nonsense," from his wife, and a hearty laugh from the whole group was all the response to his wonderful discovery. "Elizabeth" continued to work with greater vigor and effect than any girl ever did well before, and the family resumed their congratulations at their good luck in having picked up "so a good a girl."

In a week or two the gentleman of the house had occasion to leave home for a time, and was about to get into his carriage, when it occurred to him that there might not be money enough in the safe for household and business purposes until his return. He looked through his account book, and found that there should be some $275 in gold in the safe, besides some paper money. On looking to see whether he was right, he found the paper money, but the gold had disappeared. Here was "a go." "Who was the robber?" was the next question. He decided in his own mind that there was but one servant in the house with wit enough to get hold of the keys and remove the money unobserved. And she was the favorite and trusted nurse of the grand-children, whose mistress was then absent. It was determined, therefore, that she should be arrested, her trunks searched, &c. A search-warrant was accordingly obtained, with directions to the officer to stand in readiness to come when sent for.

As if to confirm the justness of these suspicions, the girl informed the son-in-law, whose children she had nursed, that she was going to leave in a few days—although she had previously frequently expressed a desire to always live with the family, who had uniformly treated her with great kindness. "What do you mean, MARY, by this sudden determination?"

"Because there are those about the house who are stealing everything they can lay their hands on; and I cannot stay where they are." "Why did you keep this information from us?" "Because, when I went to tell Mrs. ——, she said she would not listen to any complaints from servants about each other, and compelled me to be silent." "To whom do you refer?" "To Elizabeth, who has been stealing something every day." She then proceeded to name several articles which she knew "Elizabeth" had stolen, and to justify herself for the course she had resolved upon.

This revelation changed the aspect of affairs, and the fact that the same day "Elizabeth" announced her determination to leave the next morning, did not render them any the less interesting, but promised a more speedy denouement than was anticipated. It was against *her* trunk that the search-warrant was now directed, but as it was ready to be placed on the stage. She demurred, but the law, at this stage of proceedings, knows no demurrers, and the trunk was uncovered. And such an uncovering! Rolls of linen, silk hoods, a dozen fine linen chemises, fine dresses, pieces of cotton cloth, sheets, dressing gowns, lace, one man's linen shirt big enough for "daddy Lambert," and sundry other commodities indicating the wardrobe of an heiress rather than that of a cook.

Spite of her protestations, she was hurried off to jail—the officer believing that when she saw the iron she would relent and confess. But not she! On entering the cell, she looked round rather complacently, and entered up her baggage. This was refused her, but she persisted so resolutely that her request was complied with, on the ground that she should only take out what she required for her use while in prison. On doing so, *a razor and strop fell out of a bundle*, and on being told that she could not retain articles so useless to her, she begged piteously for them, as "*the only thing left to her by her dear, dead father.*" Of course, no humane officer of the law could disregard such a plea, and she was allowed to retain them.

Her trial came on, when her counsel advised her to plead guilty. This, at first, she refused to do, but finally consented—not, however, until she had remained over night in custody of the Under Sheriff, at his house. He persuaded her to this course, and took so much interest in her case that very unusual sympathies found utterance; how unjustly, the sequel will show. In consideration of her plea of guilty, the Judge was very merciful, and sentenced her to three months in the Albany Penitentiary. Here she arrived a few days ago, and the worthy keeper received her kindly, introduced her to the female department, and from chance with the nothing more or whence a series of loud shrieks for "Mr. Pendergast" were soon heard, and on his appearing, the matron hid her blushes, and exclaimed him, "TAKE THAT MAN AWAY!" Mr. Pendergast, like a gentleman as he is, complied with the request, and the prisoner, dressed in proper garments, set down to work among those of his own sex, where he may, if he pleases, enjoy a chat or a gossip to any extent he could desire, and such a crop as he could any day have had while a boarder, and as he will be now had, but for the semi-daily application of the razor left him by his "*dear, dead father!*"

The second refusal, to owe to the stealing of the $275, being determined, doubtless, to get hold of it anyone on her is released from his present quarters. This discovery has wonderfully cleared up the dull head of the Schoharie Dutch; and greatly disappointed those who had a premise of an opportunity to "dance at the wedding" of Patrick and Elizabeth!

A Newspaper Editor's Life.

The editor of the Omaha *Arrow* gives the following description of his cares and troubles:

Again we write in our sanctum, though not as at first, upon the stump of our first fallen tree. Our office is partially roofed, and near it we have erected a shady bower, from which fragrant we have issued our cool, airy and delightful bower. A month ago dressed in polar, with the green, soft grass for a carpet, we could not conceive how in a little more than a month our sensitive years. We have been not scrambling through the bushes to gather many of the delicious and juicy plums that grow in wild profusion around us. The reverberating echoes of the axe of the distant squatter, mingled with the eccentric anthem of the wild-eyed warbler, falls upon our ear as the sound of merry music. In the distance, near the river, we see the approach of the noisy steamer, disturbing Nature's lovely continuum with its shrieking machinery and clouds of steam and smoke, whilst in the background smokes the great camp fire over which broil a brace of quails and a plump duck for our midday meal. Our rude buffalo hammock hangs high over our head in the branches of the tree, a soft breeze from the shaging bite of the mosquitoes, which are growing serpents in great abundance.

The Pawnee village of the Omahas, with a few acres of luxurious maize and other vegetables, shade by the side of the timber, far away to the westward, upon the banks of a clear, pure stream of nature's choicest beverage. These sturdy sons of the prairie forest have just returned from their summer hunt, to see what the Great Father at Washington has sent them. They look somewhat sad and cast down, for they are soon to leave the lands and graves of their brethren forever, to sojourn and leave their children upon the land allotted for them by the pale faces, whilst the Saxon race shall plow up the very graves of their departed kindred, and leave their bones to bleach upon the surface of the fertile soil. Even now the native white man has erected his claim cabin upon the very site of the late village of these poor, though noble and fast fading savages. They anxiously await the stipulated payments from our Government, soon after which they will bid adieu to these pleasant lands.

An hour later. We have just returned from a chase after a flock of wild turkeys that had the temerity to invade our sanctum, for which we have cruelly punished them by taking one of their number for a quiet squatter supper. The other half score took wing and away to the thick foliage, choosing to take their turn upon our rude wooden spit at a future time; to which terms we manfully agreed, and returned with enough for the present.

A fine hickory tree that is a near neighbor to our sanctum, is beautifully loaded down with the rich choice nut which that tree produces. Nor is it alone, for within the range of our eye we see many of the kind in like manner with drooping bunches from the weight of fruit. Our cook sounds the alarm whistle for dinner, and we hasten to devour the dainty morsels, for which our sharpened appetites are well prepared from the labor and rambles of the fore part of the day. Come forth from the East and South, ye dainty, idling dyspeptics, take a blanket and bed and board with us, and by degrees accustom yourselves to follow as in labor, and in three months we will turn you out a hale and healthy man, with a good claim in Nebraska, and a cabin for the Winter.

Anecdotes of Rev. Dr. Allyn.

Dr. JOSIE ALLYN, formerly pastor of the Congregational Church in Duxbury, Mass., was a man of much eccentricity, as well as genius and worth. The following characteristic anecdotes of the man are from the Detroit *Advertiser*, the editor of which knew him well:

"When Dr. ALLYN was ordained over his society in Duxbury, some sixty or seventy years ago, he disturbed the gravity of the Puritan deacons by coolly paring and eating an apple while a brother clergyman was delivering the "charge" and exhorting him to the faithful performance of his duties.

"In the later years of his life, the Doctor received into his family boys whom he fitted for college. He labored in various ways to accustom them to early rising, but without success. One cold morning he entered the rooms and found them all comfortably napping in warm beds. At his appearance they began to rouse and yawn. "Be quiet, be quiet, boys," says the Doctor, "you can do as how as you please this morning, don't let me disturb you," and before the bewildered youths had time to fully comprehend his meaning, he seized all the bed-clothes and disappeared with them.

"Mrs. ALLYN had invited a large number of the 'aristocracy' of the town to 'take tea and spend the evening,' and in anticipation of the visit had baked a large quantity of nice cake. This the Doctor took, without the knowledge of the late spouse, and threw among the boys on the green, who eagerly devoured the delicacy. It was not till just previous to tea time that Mrs. ALLYN discovered what had occurred, when she, like a woman of spirit, exhibited a just indignation. The Doctor very coolly reasoned with and consoled her, thus: 'Why, I could see no harm in giving the cake to the boys; the people who have come here have cake every day at home; and only think o' it! these poor boys never get any cake.'

"Dr. ALLYN possessed an old square-top chaise, and an old horse that were well known in every part of the town. His wife and another lady, intending to call upon Mrs. F—, whose husband was an influential and wealthy citizen, were comfortably seated in the chaise at the door of the parsonage. 'Wait,' said the clergyman, 'a minute till I fix this buckle,' and he disappeared a few minutes behind the vehicle. 'All right,' shouted the Doctor, and off went the ladies as fast as the moderate pace of the horse would carry them. The distance traveled to the place of destination was about a mile. Whenever Mrs. ALLYN and her companion approached a house or passed any one on the way, they observed that their appearance attracted attention, and they wondered much why people stared and nodded, and then gave indications of hilarity—some laughed immoderately. They 'jogged on,' however, till they arrived at the residence of Mrs. F., in close proximity to which was a ship-yard filled with workmen, who appeared to be no more civil than other people. They began to stare and laugh till the impudence and delight seemed to extend through the whole gang. The parson's wife was indignant; she alighted and was not a little surprised to find written, in big letters on the sides of the chaise, with chalk, these words: '*Visit none but the rich.*' The Doctor was never allowed to fix the buckle afterwards."

A FAMILY OF OPIUM LOVERS.—Some six months ago, a person visited our town, asking money to purchase medicines for his mother, who was sick. Recently, the same solicitor has been around on the same errand for other members of the family. What success has attended his solicitations, we know not; but the object to which the funds are applied, is of so objectionable a nature that all should withhold their names, out of regard for the family, who are the slaves of a habit to which drunkenness the most degrading is a comparative blessing. The entire family, it is said, subsist, for the most part on opium, or its exhilirating and soporific influence, and this fearful habit has been so long indulged as to have grown into a second life. The example of COLERIDGE before the world, who acknowledged it the basest and most destructive of vices, and at the same time the most absolute of tyrants should, we think, be a sufficient warning to all after comers to avoid the drug; but here is an example of a whole family addicted to the habit; and it has brought upon them all its certain results—apathy, lazidness, poverty, misery—and will eventually end in the most wretched death.—*Elmira Republican.*

☞ In Central Africa, at Timbuctoo, Dr. BARTH has discovered a disposition to European commerce and civilization,—two things which our quondam ally Russia has admitted with so much reluctance. For we must remember, that the Czar which encouraged the accumulation of mud at the mouth of the Danube, and protests native indolence against foreign industry, used to protest against Frankfurt refinement. All travelers, however, who have penetrated far enough, appear to agree that if only we could secure a passage through the hedge of disease which excludes us from Central Africa, we might with legitimate commerce tempt the natives out of their barbarism and slave-dealing. HENRY CLAY, the conservative reformer of America, who looked to prospective abolition of Slavery as the rescue of the Union from its worst danger, was of the early patrons of Liberia. Mr. THAYER's plan of encouraging emigration from Europe appears to suggest an improvement in the Black emigration from America—a great anti-slave-trade, establishing Liberia with sister colonies, establishing more than one point of ingress in the commercial possibilities of Africa, and bringing that continent within the range of commerce, which would probably "pay" for this application of the THAYER principle.—*London Spectator, Sept. 16.*

SHORT WEIGHT—SEIZURE OF BREAD BY THE POLICE—EXCITEMENT AMONG THE BAKERS.—The Times of last evening gives the following account of a commotion among the city bakers yesterday: High Constable BATTERSHALL with Officer KITT this morning made a descent upon a number of bakers' carts, weighing their bread in order to ascertain if it came fully up to the standard of weight required by law, and confiscating all loaves which did not correspond with that requirement. One hundred and ten loaves in all were confiscated and given over to the overseer of the poor for such distribution as he might think proper. The loaves seized by the officers fell short of the weight required by law from one to four and a half ounces. During the past six months bread has been very high, and the loaves small. Since the decline in flour of several dollars on the barrel, the bakers have neither reduced the price per loaf nor increased the size of the loaf. This was quite bad enough; but to sell loaves under the legal weight was a cheat not to be endured.—*Troy Whig, Friday.*

HOW MUCH THEY EAT IN NEW-YORK.—During the three months ending the 1st inst., two hundred and sixteen thousand six hundred and thirteen animals were slaughtered for food in New-York City. During the nine months of the year, the total number of animals offered up on the altar of appetite in that City, reached seven hundred thousand seven hundred and fourteen, or, at the rate of seventeen thousand nine hundred and sixty-six per week, or nearly one million per year! The population is about five hundred thousand—that is an average of two animals per year to each inhabitant. Not much starvation in New-York, at this rate.—*Albany Register.*

HAPPY IS THE WOOING THAT IS NOT LONG ADOING.—An unknown writer says: "It is my firm opinion, derived from experience, that the period of courtship cannot be too short. I have reason to say, that when you have hooked your fish, the sooner you see your landing net the better."

MARKET REPORTS.

Retail Market Prices.

No material change in prices has taken place since our last quotations, although, on the whole, there is a general decline.

Beef is more abundant.

The weather of the past few days has been very favorable to the growth of late vegetables, and a more abundant supply and a considerable fall in price for such may soon be expected.

Potatoes—both Irish and Sweet—are coming in plentifully, and are considerably declining in value.

Pork is trending downward and higher. There is but a small quantity of Pieces now on hand, and the supply of Pouches is very small.

The supply of Butter is not large. Orange County is held at last week's price, but D. Ogden Butter has fallen to 16c. ⅌ lb.

Poultry and Game are more plenty, with an improved demand, but the price is as last week.

The supply of Fresh Fish is diminished, and trade dull.

We append the average retail figures:

FRESH MEATS—Porterhouse, 18c.@20c. ⅌ lb.; other kinds Fresh Beef 8c.@15c. ⅌ lb.; Mutton 10c.@14c. ⅌ lb.; Veal 10c.@12c., and Veal Cutlets 16c. ⅌ lb.; Lamb ⅌1 25@⅌1 50 ⅌ quarter; Pork 10c. ⅌ lb.

SALT MEATS, &c.—Smoked Ham 14c., and Pickled Ham 10c. ⅌ lb.; Sausages 11c. ⅌ lb.; Smoked Beef 15c. ⅌ lb.; Bologna Sausages 8½c. ⅌ lb.; Lard (City made) 12½c. ⅌ lb.

BUTTER AND CHEESE—State Butter, 19c.@22c. ⅌ lb.; Orange County do., (new,) 25c.@28c. ⅌ lb.; Delaware do., 23c.@25c. ⅌ lb. Cheese, 10c.@12½c. ⅌ lb.; English Cheese, 21c. ⅌ lb.

POULTRY AND GAME—Spring Chickens, 50c.@⅌1 50 ⅌ pair; Turkeys, ⅌1 50@⅌2 50 each; Spring Turkeys, 75c.@⅌1 25 each; Fowls, 75c.@⅌1 ⅌ pair; Wild Squabs, ⅌3 ⅌ dozen; Tame do., ⅌2 25 ⅌ dozen; Snipe, 50c.@⅌1 75 ⅌ dozen; Woodcock, ⅌6 50@⅌7 ⅌ dozen; Venison, 15c. ⅌ lb.

EGGS—Six for a shilling.

VEGETABLES—Cabbage, 5c.@6c. ⅌ head for good; Beets and Carrots, 3c.@4c. ⅌ bunch; White Onions, (large size,) 6c. ⅌ peck; small do., (for pickling,) ⅌1 ⅌ peck; Red Onions, 25c. ⅌ half peck; Tomatoes, 25c. ⅌ half peck; Turnips, 37½c. ⅌ peck; Celery, 14c.@15c. a bunch; Oyster Plants, 6c.@8c. ⅌ bunch; Egg Plants, 8c.@12½c. according to size and quality; Pickles, 31½c.@50c. ⅌ hundred; Lettuce, 2c. ⅌ bunch; Radishes, 1c. ⅌ bunch; Watermelons, 12½c. ⅌ half peck; Lima Beans, (shelled,) 37½c. ⅌ quart; String Beans, 18½c. ⅌ half peck; Green Corn, 10 for 12½c.; Pickles, 37½c. ⅌ hundred; Peppers, ⅌1 50 ⅌ hundred.

FRUITS—Apple Quinces, ⅌1@⅌2 ⅌ hundred; Bell Pears, 75c. ⅌ bushel; Grapes, 8c.@15c. ⅌ lb.; Pear Quinces, 75c.@⅌1 50 ⅌ hundred; Crab Apples, 50c. ⅌ half peck; Vergalieu Pears, 50c.@75c. ⅌ half peck; Spitzenberg and Greening Apples, 18c. ⅌ half peck; Fall Pippins, 25c. ⅌ half peck.

FRESH FISH—Halibut, 8c.@10c.; Bass, 10c.@12c.; Codfish, 4c.@6c.; Eels, 6c.@12c.; Flounders, 6c.; Weak Fish, 8c.@10c.; Sea Bass, Blue Fish, 4c.@6c.; Porgies, 5c.@6c.; Turtle, 12½c.; Lobsters 6c., and Salmon, (fresh,) 50c. ⅌ lb.; Crabs, 16c.@25c. ⅌ dozen.

SALT FISH—Mackerel and Smoked Halibut, 10c. ⅌ lb.; Salt Shad, 12½c.; Smoked Shad, 12c. ⅌ lb.; Alewives, 1c. apiece; Smoked Salmon, 12c.@15c. ⅌ lb.; Boneless Salmon, ⅌3 50 ⅌ can; Codfish, dry, 4c. ⅌ lb.

SHELL FISH—Oysters, 62½c.@⅌2 ⅌ 100; Clams 25c.@⅌1 ⅌ 100.

Markets—*Carefully reported for the N. Y. Daily Times.*

TUESDAY, Oct. 10—6 P. M.

ASHES—There were 50 bbls. sold to-day at ⅌6 12½ for Pearls, and ⅌7 for Pots, ⅌ 100 lbs.

BEESWAX—Some 3,000 lbs. American Yellow changed hands on private terms.

BRICK—Good Hand North River are stable and firm at ⅌8 ⅌ thousand. Inferior kinds are neglected and nominal in price.

COTTON—Less inquiry exists for this staple, which, however, is rare and firm. We still quote:

NEW-YORK CLASSIFICATION.

	Middling.	Middling Fair.	N.O.&T.
Ordinary to good. ⅌ lb.	7½@ 8	7½@ 8	7½@ 8½
Low Middling	8½@ 8½	8½@ 9	8½@ 9
Middling	9 @ 9½	9½@ 9¾	9½@ 9¾
Good Middling	9½@ 9¾	9¾@10	10 @10½
Middling Fair	10 @10½	10½@11	11 @11½

FEATHERS—Have been more extensively dealt in during the past two or three days. 4,500 lbs. Live Geese were purchased at 42c. ⅌ lb. for prime Western, and 41c.@42c. for do. Southern, ⅌ lb.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western brands display rather less animation. The county stock and enhanced claims of owners impede operations. We understand that the millers in the interior find it difficult to secure enough Wheat to keep their mills working, and that this is now the chief cause of the lightness of the arrivals of Flour in this market. Hence, holders of the latter are not eager to sell, unless at higher prices. The day's transactions include 9,300 bbls. We quote:

State, ⅌ bbl.	⅌6 25@⅌6 75
Superfine. No. 2	6 50@ 7 00
Inferior State	7 25@ 7 50
Ordinary State	7 75@ 7 87½
Straight State	7 87½@ 8 00
Favorite State	8 00@ —
Mixed Western	7 87½@ 8 00
Common to good Indiana and Michigan	8 00@ 8 12½
Fancy Michigan	8 12½@ 8 25
Common to good Ohio	7 75@ 8 00
Fancy do. do.	8 12½@ 8 25
Extra Ohio	8 25@ 8 50
Extra Indiana and Michigan	8 25@ 8 75
Fancy Genesee	8 00@ 8 25
Extra Genesee	8 50@ 9 50

Superfine Canadian, in bond, is more sought after and is firmer. There were 1,600 bbls. taken to-day, at ⅌7 50; subsequently held at ⅌7 75 ⅌ bbl. Southern is also brisker and dearer; some 2,900 bbls. realized ⅌7 75@⅌8 50 for poor mixed to good straight, and ⅌8 25@⅌8 75 for fancy brands ⅌ bbl. Mr. DELUZE records thus, the Wheat Flour clearances from New-York, for the fortnight ending Oct. 9:

	bbls.		bbls.
To British Provinces	8,320	To Melbourne	1,384
To West Indies	2,383	To Canton	850
To South America	600		

Rye Flour is doing better. 175 bbls. were disposed of to-day, at ⅌5 25 for fine, and ⅌5 62½@⅌5 35 for superfine, ⅌ bbl. About 300 bbls. Jersey Corn Meal found buyers at ⅌4 25 ⅌ bbl., the previous figures.

GRAIN—Wheat is still rather sparingly offered, and is needed, especially by millers, at buoyant rates. We have heard of sales of 8,000 bushels Genesee Winter White, in store, at ⅌2; 2,000 Southern do., ⅌1 73½; 800 Canadian do., free, at ⅌1 72½, and 3,000 do. do., in bond, on terms not made public. Rye is dull and heavy at ⅌1 15@⅌1 16 ⅌ bushel. Barley is not wanted. Oats are in good request at 44c. ⅌ bush. for State, and 52c. ⅌ bush. for Western, ⅌ bushel. Corn is scarce, and wanted at better prices. The sales since our last include only 27,000 bushels at 78c.@79c. for unsound; 79c.@80½c. for Western mixed, and 82c.@84c. for south parcels of White, ⅌ bushel. Mr. DE LUZE records as follows the Corn clearances from New-York for the fortnight ending Oct. 9:

	bush.		bush.
To Liverpool	77,776	To West Indies	150
To Belfast	8,500	To British Provinces	1,407

GROCERIES—Have not varied much. The day's sales consist of 20 bags Marcaibo Coffee at 11½c.; 200 Rio do. at 11½c.@12c. ⅌ lb.; 40 hhds. Porto Rico Molasses at 30c.; 40 Cuba do. at 29½; 100 bbls. New-Orleans do. at 35c. ⅌ gallon; 140 hhds. Porto Rico Sugar at 5½c. to 7c.; 300 Cuba do. at 5½c.@7c., and 150 New-Orleans do. at 5½c.@8c. ⅌ lb. Teas are active, but not lower. These features were apparent at this forenoon's auction sale.

HEMP—About 100 bales American pressed Stched ⅌3 20, usual credit, ⅌ ton.

HAY—There were 600 bales River sold at 60c. for shipment, and 90c.@95c. for local use, ⅌ 100 lbs.

HOPS—New are in moderate supply and demand at 30c.@40c. ⅌ lb. Old are still unnoticed.

LATHS—Eastern continue heavy and firm, being in fair request at ⅌1 ⅌ bundle.

LIME—Rockland is much wanted and would bring 90c. for Country and ⅌1 20 for Lump, ⅌ bbl.

METALS—There exists only a limited inquiry for Copper of former rates. Sales were reported, to-day, of 300 tons Scotch Pig Iron at ⅌30@⅌32, usual credit, ⅌ ton; and 50 tons Spanish Lead at ⅌6 25, ⅌ 100 lbs. We have heard of no additional sales of Steel. Tin, pr. Zaire.

NAVAL STORES—Crude Turpentine is rather slentier, and is less sought after at ⅌4 75@⅌5 ⅌ 280 lbs. Spirits do. is quiet, but steady held at 61c.@62c., cash, ⅌ gallon. Tar is in demand at ⅌3 75@⅌4 50, according to quality, ⅌ bbl. Resin is not very brisk; 200 bbls. Common were bought, to-day, at ⅌2 ⅌ bbl. delivered.

OILS—Crude, whale and sperm are quite dull, and nearly nominal; but refined kinds rule dull and heavy. Palm and Olive are unchanged. Linseed is selling slowly from store, at 74c.@75c. ⅌ gallon. Lard is retailing at 90c.@95c. ⅌ gallon.

PROVISIONS—Pork is still in good demand, without any essential change in prices. The day's transactions consists of 2,600 bbls. at ⅌11 25@⅌11 37½c., and ⅌11 50c. for Mess, — the highest quotation having been tendered for a lot of 500 bbls., deliverable after the 15th inst., subject to option; and ⅌11 50@⅌12 ⅌ bbl. for Prime. ⅌ bbl. Cut meats remain as previously reported. Lard is unaltered; there have been 250 bbls. good to prime obtained, at 10½@10¾c. ⅌ lb. Beef is rather more active, but is not dearer. The day's sales embrace 300 bbls. at ⅌11 for Country Mess; ⅌16 for City do.; ⅌16@⅌18 50 for repacked Chicago do., and ⅌18@⅌19 for extra do. do., ⅌ bbl. Prime Mess Beef and Beef Hams are unchanged. Butter is more wanted, the sales include 1,000 kegs, at 15c.@17c. for Ohio; 17c.@20c. for Western New-York, and 21c.@22c. for Orange County, ⅌ lb. Cheese is worth 9c.@10c. ⅌ lb.

RICE—Sales of 250 tierces this day in prime were reported at ⅌4 25@⅌5 75 ⅌ 100 lbs.

SEEDS—Clover is dull and heavy at 11c.@12½c. ⅌ lb. Flax has not varied. The last sales of Calcutta Linseed were effected at ⅌1 67½ ⅌ bushel. Timothy is quiet and nominal in price.

TALLOW—Sales transpired, to-day, of 15,000 lbs. prime at 12½c.@13c. ⅌ lb.

TOBACCO—Is less inquired for, but is quietly firm. The past three days' sales have been confined to 52 hhds. Kentucky at 7½c.; 75 cases Connecticut Seed Leaf at 9½c.@15c.; 176 bales Cuba and Sarna at private terms; and 65 Havana at 35c.@50c. ⅌ lb.

WHISKEY—Is more active, but is unsettled in price. The day's transactions add up 1,400 bbls. Ohio and Prime at 26½c.@27c., and 27c.@28c., respectively, ⅌ gallon.

FREIGHTS—For Liverpool, the engagements embrace a few lots of Cotton at ⅌5 16@⅌5 32, ⅌ lb.; 15,000 bushels Corn, in bulk, at 12d. ⅌ bushel; and some dead weight at 12s. ⅌ ton. For London, some was taken a lot of Hops, in bales, at 18s. 6d. ⅌ 40 cwt., measurement. For Bremen there were engaged 20 pkgs. Tobacco, part in bales at 5c. ⅌ lb., and part in hogsheads at 40c. ⅌ cubic foot. Few other European vessels, seeking cargoes, are offering. For the Cape of Good Hope, a vessel was chartered on private terms. For Australia the *Nimrod* was fixed and was expected to sail on the 20th inst.; while the *Windward* was engaging measurement goods at 40c. ⅌ foot. For California, measurement goods were slowly offered at 30c. ⅌ foot.

SALES OF STOCKS AT PHILADELPHIA.

Tuesday, Oct. 10—Reported for the Philadelphia & New-York Exchange Company, Office, No. 52 Wall-st., New-York.

First Board—$1,000 Pennsylvania 5s, 1867, 91¼; $1,000 do. 91¼; $1,000 do. 91¼; $1,000 do. (S. O.) 91¼; 400 Reading Railroad, 39; 50 do. 39¼; 100 do. 39½; 100 do. 39¾; 100 do. 39¾; 100 do. 39¾

AUCTION SALES.

PERSONAL BALE OF WEST RANDOWN [illegible] Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.—HALL & SUMS [illegible] A DAY, at 10 o'clock, without reserve, the handsome furniture, in the modern house, No. 251 West 14th-st., between 5th and 6th-avs., comprising drawing-room ornaments, hall, kitchen arrangements, [illegible] Cost $4[illegible]—nearly new, &c.

SAMUEL OSGOOD, Auctioneer.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF FURNITURE AND MACHINE SHOP, 80.—SAMUEL OSGOOD, No. 54 Nassau-st., will sell on the premises No. 120 and 122 Attorney-st., On FRIDAY, Oct. 13, at 10 o'clock, the tools of a Foundry and Machine Shop, and [illegible] Furniture, [illegible] Wagons, one pair mules and Horses. By order of the assignee. (Notice on the day of sale.)

JOHN L. VANDERWATER, Auctioneer.

MALTA MARBLE.—JOHN L. VANDERWATER will sell, THIS DAY, at the salesroom, No. 30 Pine and No. 54 Nassau-sts., at 12 o'clock, a large line of carved Italian marble figures, vases, urns, and fountains, being the same material as the Venetian Boat, [illegible] Bath, and warranted impervious to climate or weather.

MEDICAL.

THE MARRIED WOMAN'S PRIVATE MEDICAL COMPANION, by Dr. A. M. MAURICEAU, Professor of Diseases of Women. One hundredth Edition (the 100th). 12mo., pp. 250. On fine paper, [illegible] Illustrated by numerous engravings, [illegible] Price $1. Every complaint to which a woman is subject, from childhood to old age, is also its wife and at home, are fully described, with the causes, the symptoms, and the proper mode of treatment in a plain, simple, but in the most chaste language, easily understood. And thus every woman, married or single, may know every symptom with these described, the nature, character and origin of her complaint; and be spared much anxiety and suffering. The wife about becoming a mother has often need of instruction and advice of the utmost importance to her future health, in respect to which her sensitiveness forbids consulting a medical practitioner, and she is left without advice and also explain many symptoms which occasion anxiety or alarm. How many are suffering from obstructions or irregularities, [illegible] Will not a mother, which understanding the cause, the cause of which great, [illegible] and for which [illegible]

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NEW-YORK CITY.

Improvements in Building the Joseph Walker.—The ship Joseph Walker, it will be remembered, was partially burned and sunk at the time of the loss of the Great Republic, last December. Her cargo comprised 25,000 bushels of grain, 300 bales of cotton and 500 bbls. of rosin. Under strong inducements of 70 per cent. salvage, Capt. BULL at once began experiments to raise her hull. He tried the old mode of raising her with canvas, but after expending some $12,000, gave up the undertaking as hopeless. Capt. J. S. LEWIS, of the remarkable Hurdles notoriety, then commenced his experiments, and thus far with the highest hope of success. He obtained two old condemned vessels and floated them on the wreck. In addition to the usual spars and wear chains, he employed two *Hydraulic Jacks of immense and irresistible power.* The long position of the hull in the sand, and becoming firmly bedded, rendered wedging the chains from aft to their position, at first a very different and tedious process. About two feet of mud in her hold, weighing about 300 tons, has to be taken away. This accomplished, by means of the vessels and the large mechanical force employed, he expects but little difficulty in the completion of the work. The vessel is now lying on her port side, and portions of her bow and stern are in sight. In less than two weeks he thinks to get her entirely raised and ready to discharge her cargo.

Erie Railroad Directors.—An election for Directors of the Erie Railroad was held at the office of the Company in this City, yesterday. The following named gentlemen were chosen as such by a large majority:

Homer Ramsdell,	Samuel Marsh,
William E. Dodge,	Shepherd Knapp,
Cornelius Smith,	Marshall O. Roberts,
Charles M. Leupp,	Nelson Robinson,
Daniel Drew,	John Arnot,
Ambrose S. Murray,	George F. Talman,
D. A. Cushman,	William B. Skidmore,
Lewis Van Hoffman,	Charles Moran.

Ralph Hood.

Cambrian Association.—A regular meeting of the Cambrian Association was held at St. David's Hall, No. 249 Walker-street, last evening. H. N. MORGAN, President, occupied the Chair, and W. M. LOYD was appointed Secretary pro tem. The meeting was occupied in making arrangements for the grand ball on the 13th of December. Reports from Committees on the subject were made and accepted, but final arrangements, in all particulars, for the occasion, were not made. Appearances indicate, however, that the forthcoming ball will be one of the most successful ever got up under the auspices of the Cambrian Association. In the absence of other business, the members of the Association present resolved themselves into a Complete Social, and spent several hours in a manner peculiarly Cambrian. "Mr. Jones" acquitted himself very credibly. The Association meet again next week.

Young Men of the Literary Societies.—The first of their "evenings" was occupied at Clinton Hall last night by the "New-York City Literary Union." Mr. DOUGLAS LEFFINGWELL made the opening address. Mr. DAVID CRAWFORD discoursed of the Progress of the Country; FREDERICK T. DREW, of True Greatness; JOHN WESLEY MCCOY, of the March of Mind, and Mr. WM. CAMPBELL made an original recitation.

Similar exercises will take place this evening and to-morrow. The "Union" has taken a prominent position in these matters.

Another Slaver Traced.—BARTHOLOMEW BANGO was arrested yesterday for fitting out the American bark *Millendon* for the Slave-trade. The *Millendon* sailed from New-York in December, 1853, and was seized on the coast of Africa by the British cruiser *Leopard* as she was about to embark a cargo of negroes. Mr. JOACHIMSEN, Assistant District Attorney, demanded $20,000 bail, which was not perfected to-day. The warrant was issued by Mr. Commissioner SCHLWELL.

Mechanics' Institute.—The following gentlemen were elected Directors of the Mechanics' Institute to increase the Board, and to supply vacancies:

Henry B. Dawson, Clerk.	Edward Clark, Carpenter.
S. B. Wells, Publisher.	T. Wallace, Brass Founder.
C. W. Hawkins, Printer.	W. R. Marsh, Engineer.
H. McCracken, Iron Founder.	T. Jones, Jr., Ing. Broker.
W. D. Anderson, Iron-worker.	

The Turf.—The match which was announced to take place yesterday on the Union Course, did not come off, *Joe Mills* paying forfeit. A purse of $25 was offered by the proprietors of the Course. The contestants were the b. g. *Jim*, and the g. m. *Lady Butts*. The former was successful.

The following is a summary:

UNION COURSE, L. I., OCT. 10, 1854.
Purse $50. Mile heats to wagons.
H. WOODRUFF enters b. g. *Jim* ..... 1. 1.
J. SEVINE enters g. m. *Lady Butts* ..... 2. 2.
Time, 2, 2.—3 minutes.

To-day a match for $2,000 will come off on the Union Course, between *Don* and *Wholebone*. 2 mile heats to wagons.

☞ A public demonstration in favor of "Protestant Republican Principles," is announced for this evening, at the Suffolk-street Church. Among the speakers we observe the name of Reverend CHAUNCEY SHAFFER.

☞ The Board of Governors has resolved to extend an invitation to the officers of the French vessels of war, now in port, to visit the Institutions under their care.

(Advertisement.)

PHALON'S FASHIONABLE LOTION.—It is hard to say whether this extraordinary cosmetic is most useful in Winter or in Summer. Not only does it preserve the smoothness and softness of the skin in defiance of old Boreas, but it also dissipates, in an incredibly short space of time, every trace of tan or freckles which the sun and ordinary air may have left on the complexion. Ladies returning from the open or the seaside will find it invaluable for restoring the pearly transparency of the skin; and we would advise them to lose no time in sending to PHALON'S establishment, 96, Nicholas Hotel, for a supply of the article. Also for sale by all the fancy stores in the City and country.

(Advertisement.)

LARGE-SIZE PHOTOGRAPHS.—The attention of the public is called to our new style of Daguerreotypes on paper, which is all alive; the life-like fire surpassing in depth of tone and brilliancy the most finished painting on canvas. The results also resembling the most delicate miniatures on ivory. As to Minnotes and durability they are unsurpassed. Perfect likenesses of any size can be made by the process from Daguerreotypes. Taken only by J. GURNEY & C. D. FREDERICKS, No. 349 Fifth-st. in Hampton Park, Park, and No. 349 Broadway, New-York.

(Advertisement.)

☞ Mr. GOBADE's Balloon, now in the Crystal Palace, is, we believe, the largest ever exhibited in this country, being over fifty feet in height, and of the capacity of 30,000 cubic feet. As it stands in the Palace, fully inflated, it is certainly the biggest "bag of wind" we have ever seen. It is to be withdrawn, we hear, on Saturday evening. On to-morrow (Thursday) evening, the balloon will be illuminated, and Bobwooth's band in attendance.

(Advertisement.)

BALLARD'S Hair Dye takes all others down,
For it will color any shade, from black to brown;
Resolved this question in the world's convention,
A wonder that to which we call attention;
And if purchased your hair is permanently gay,
Why go to BALLARD—his No. 1 to 220 Broadway.

(Advertisement.)

☞ Every nice and cheap, from early boyhood to athletic manhood, can be fitted to a money with fashionable Fall or Winter Clothing, at the great warehouse, Union Hall, corner of Fulton and Nassau-streets. Each article is marked with its lowest price, which will be found many per cent. under the average.

(Advertisement.)

TRIAL OF DR. GRAHAM.—A graphic account of the trial of Dr. GRAHAM, of New-Orleans, for the murder of Col. LEGARE, will appear in the *National Police Gazette*; ready on Thursday, price four cents. ROSS, JESSE & TOUSEY Agents.

(Advertisement.)

THE RYER.—A splendid portrait of the champion of America will appear in the *Challenge and American Sporting Gazette* of this week; ready as soon this day. Also, lots of interesting sporting items. For sale everywhere, price four cents.

(Advertisement.)

☞ The discovery of the applicability of Steam as a Generator and Manufacturing name, was not of as valuable to the world than WHELPLEY'S new discovery for Fever and Ague is to the invalid. Sold by G. V. CLICKENER & Co., No. 67 Hardy-street.

(Advertisement.)

GAS! GAS!—GAS FIXTURES of new designs and unsurpassed workmanship, will be found at the great manufacturing depôt of AMOREE, WARNER & Co., No. 376 Broadway; also, a new portable gas apparatus, designed for country residences, churches or factories.

(Advertisement.)

WORTH SEEING.—The most splendid show of Stereoscopic Pictures ever made in this country may be seen at Rose's magnificent Gallery, No. 363 Broadway, corner of Franklin-street. Call and see them.

LONG ISLAND.

Brooklyn Temperance Institution Meeting.—A very large meeting of the Temperance men of the city of Brooklyn was held at the Institute last evening. The objects of the meeting were to hear a report from their Delegates to the State Temperance Convention at Auburn, and to consider the ticket there nominated. The Chair was occupied by Mr. ANDREW FITZGERALD, and Dr. BENNETT acted as Secretary. The Delegates, Rev. Dr. MASON, Dr. ROWLAND and Col. E. L. SNOW, reported, in brief, the doings of the Convention, and made remarks in keeping with the character and objects of the meeting. They were followed by Hon. GEORGE HALL, who made a short and pertinent speech. Resolutions were adopted, unanimously, ratifying the nominations for Governor and Lieutenant Governor made by the Whig Anti-Nebraska and Temperance State Conventions. Also, complimenting Messrs. BACKUS and BENSON—members from Brooklyn of the last State Legislative Assembly—for their efforts there to secure a prohibitory liquor law, and claiming that such a law is demanded by the people. The resolutions also recommend strongly the election of ex-Mayor GEO. HALL to the office of Mayor of Brooklyn, and appointed a Committee of Vigilance, with full power to take such measures as they may deem advisable to secure the nomination and election at such men as would advance the Temperance cause.

Naval.—The United States frigate *Independence* went to sea yesterday in tow of steam-tug *Leviathan*. The following is a complete and correct list of her officers: Commodore, William Mervin; Captain, Josiah Tattnall; Commander, Wm. C. Nicholson; First Lieutenant, Guert Gansevoort; Fleet Surgeon, W. S. W. Ruschenberger; Purser, Lewis Warrington; Second Lieutenant, H. N. Harrison; Third Lieutenant, John Mooney; Fourth Lieutenant, Wm. D. Hurst; Fifth Lieutenant, T. B. Huger; Sixth Lieutenant, A. N. Smith; Passed Assistant Surgeon, F. M. Gunnell; Master, Wm. Nelson; Assistant Surgeon, H. C. Caldwell; Marine Officer, A. N. Baker; Assistant Surgeon, T. J. Turner; Passed Midshipmen, D. A. McDougall; Washington Totten, James A. Greer, Isaac W. Hester, Wm. P. McCannon, Trevett Abbot; Midshipmen, T. O. Selfridge, J. M. Stribling, Henry W. Miller; Boatswain, C. M. Leach; Gunner, W. Burdett; Carpenter, H. G. Thomas; Sailmaker, J. R. Childs; A. H. Green, Charles Francis, Jr., Samuel Harrison; Chaplain, Fitch W. Taylor.

FROM RIO JANEIRO.—By the arrival of the clipper ship *Ivo*, Capt. PLUMER, we have advices from Rio Janeiro to Sept. 2.

Capt. P. reports the state of the country remarkably healthy when he left.

The U. S. frigate *Savannah* and corvette *Decatur* were at that place. Officers and crew all well.

CARDINAL WISEMAN ON LONGFELLOW.—Cardinal WISEMAN recently delivered a lecture in London on the "Home Education of the Poor," in the course of which he spoke as follows of our poet LONGFELLOW:

"There is no greater lack, said the Cardinal, in English literature, than that of a poet of the people—of one who shall be to the laboring classes of England what GOETHE is to the peasant of Germany. He was a true philosopher who said, "Let me make the songs of a nation, and I care not who makes its laws." There is one writer who approaches nearer than any other to this standard, and he has already gained such a hold on our hearts that it is almost unnecessary for me to mention his name. Our hemisphere cannot claim the honor of having brought him forth,—but still he belongs to us, for his works have become as household words wherever the English language is spoken. And, whether we are charmed by his imagery, or soothed by his melodious versification, or elevated by the high moral teachings of his pure muse, or follow with sympathizing hearts the wanderings of Evangeline, I am sure that all who hear my voice will join with me in the tribute I desire to pay to the genius of LONGFELLOW."

The Murder of Young Easton in Covington.—SAMUEL EASTON, a young lad twelve years of age, son of Mr. S. EASTON, a merchant of this city, doing business on Main-street, between Fourth and Fifth, but who resides in Covington, was murdered on Friday evening between 5 and 6 o'clock, in the streets of that city. He was returning at the time, with other children, from the district school in the Fourth Ward, where he was a pupil. As the children were playing along the street young EASTON said to a German lad, who was amusing himself by hopping in front of HENRY FORTMAN'S grocery, "Do that again, that's funny." "What's that you say?" demanded FORTMAN. "I wasn't talking to you," replied EASTON. "I was talking to the boy." FORTMAN then called him a fool. The lad replied that he wasn't any more a fool than he was. Upon this FORTMAN attempted to catch him. The school children all ran, pursued by FORTMAN, but young EASTON being behind and in danger of being caught, turned and struck at FORTMAN with the "shinny stick" with which he had been playing. A moment after, FORTMAN caught him, and flinging him on the ground with great violence, stamped him in a brutal and horrible manner. He was taken home and medical aid immediately called, but he died between 10 and 11 o'clock that evening. A post mortem examination was made by Doctors WEBB, THOMAS, DULANY and MAJOR. They found the skull broken, and took three and a fourth ounces of coagulated blood from under it, near the temple, immediately outside of this was the print of FORTMAN'S boot heel. FORTMAN, the murderer, is 26 years of age. He is a large man, full 6 feet high, weighing over 200. He has a wife and two children. The Court of Kenton County being in session, the case was on Saturday brought before the Grand Jury, and they found an indictment for murder in the first degree. The trial is fixed for Thursday the 19th inst.

FORTMAN is building a house, which is not yet completed. Yesterday his carpenter went into the jail to close his building account with him, and take an acknowledgment of his indebtedness. As he signed this paper he seemed for the first time to realize the danger in which he stands. It seemed like the closing up of his worldly business, and he covered his face with his hands and burst into a flood of tears.—*Cincinnati Gazette, Oct. 9.*

ASSAULT UPON A LA WYER.—FRANCIS LARKIN, Esq., of Sing Sing, was brutally assaulted and beaten at Verplanck's Point, on Wednesday of last week, by Irish laborers on the brickyard of Messrs. BRUCE and BENSLEY. These gentlemen made an assignment of their property, and Mr. LARKIN drew up the necessary papers; the laborers under the apprehension that they were to be kept out of their wages, became furious, and assaulted Mr. LARKIN, as well as Mr. BENSLEY, leaving the latter quite severely. Seven of the offenders are now in the County Jail at this place.—*Westchester Herald, Oct. 6.*

THE WEALTH OF PROVIDENCE.—The total valuation of the city of Providence is $46,026,700. The tax is fifty-six cents on each one hundred dollars, producing $276,579 36. One hundred and sixty persons, corporations and estates pay a tax on $50,000 and upwards. The heirs of THOMAS P. IVES are taxed $10,252 36 on property valued at $1,825,700. ALEXANDER DUNCAN and family pay $9,111 20 on $1,627,000 worth of property; the heirs of ANNA JENKINS pay $7,357 28 on $1,312,900; two others pay on property valued at over a half a million; two on upwards of $400,000; six on upwards of $300,000; fifteen on upwards of $200,000; and fifty on upwards of $100,000. Providence contains some of the richest families in the United States.

A FACT FOR OUR HORTICULTURAL READERS.—It has been discovered that for the generality of flowers, and more especially for geraniums, and the most delicate specimens of the lily tribe, common glue, diluted with a sufficient portion of water forms a richer manure than guano or any other yet discovered. Plants placed in sand on the worst soils, developing more beauty and vigor when watered with this composition, than those grown in the richest mould and only sprinkled with water.—*Exchange.*

DISTRESSING OCCURRENCE.—The Lynchburg Sentinel informs us that at Rocky Spring, in September last, a lad became bewildered with the fever and ague, and after having been twice cured, and declared that he would get out of his delusions. Those who heard the threats paid but little attention to it, supposing that it will merely on his outbursts of temper. But the boy was resolute in his purpose, and after procuring a hoe and a spade and digging himself a grave, he got a rope, attached it to a tree, and actually hung himself until he was dead.

MARRIED.

In this City, on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at Trinity Chapel, by Rev. T. A. Eaton, ALEXANDER J. MCDONALD, Jr., and ROSINA AUGUSTA, daughter of the late Joseph Blackwell.

In this City, on Tuesday, Oct. 10, by Rev. Antonio Ferrer, of the French Episcopal Church Du Saint Esprit, Capt. JOHN H. GAVIN to Miss ROSINA, daughter of Raymond Gomez, of this City.

Grace was in all her state, heaven in her eye,
In every gesture dignity and love.

At Dobbs Ferry, Westchester Co., on Tuesday, Oct. 10, by Rev. James Hoskins, M. A., late of Trinity College, Dublin, Rev. THOMAS SHARPE, M. D., of New-York, to Miss ELIZABETH S. DAVIS.

At Rockingham, Me., on Monday, Oct. 2, by Rev. E. Robinson, WM. C. PERKINS, of New-York, and Miss ANNA M., daughter of John Emery, Esq., of Kennebunk, Me.

DIED.

In this City, on Tuesday morning, Oct. 10, JAMES B. BULL, aged 28 years.

His friends, and those of his brother, Jacob Bull, and of his brothers-in-law, Rev. Wm. M. and Charles J. Chipp, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, at St. Luke's Church, this afternoon, at 2½ o'clock, without further invitation.

At Newburg, on Monday, Oct. 9, WM. COLLINS, aged 20.

His friends and relatives are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, Old-st., near 4th-st., on Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock.

In this City, on Monday, Oct. 10, JAMES COCHRELLA, in the 3d year of his age.

The friends of the family, and of his sons, James M., are invited to attend the funeral services, this day, (Wednesday,) at 4 o'clock P. M., at his late residence, No. 62 Elizabeth-st. The remains will be taken to Newport, R. I., for interment.

At Morristown, N. J., on Monday, Oct. 9, MARGARET R., youngest daughter of Silas Johnson, Esq.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her father in law, Henry Ten C. Willis, Esq., on Thursday next, at 11 o'clock A. M.

At Mystic River, Conn., on Sunday, Oct. 8, JANE LOUISA, daughter of Saxton H. and Matilda Pike, aged 1 year and 7 months.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

For Market and Stock Pages.

Sales at the Stock Exchange...Oct. 10.

$1,000 California 7s '73	84½	200	do		21
1,000 Harlem 1st M. 6s	91	200	do		21
1,000 Erie 1st Mort. 6s	102	100	do	b30	21½
5,000 Erie Income 6s	85½	50	Stonington R. R.		52
1,000 do	85½	50	Nic. Transit Co.	s5	63½
2,000 Ill. Cen. R. R. 8s	95	100	do		63½
2,000 do	95½	100	Erie Railroad		24
3,000 do	b30	50	do	s14	24
3,000 do	95½	50	do	s60	24½
1,000 do	s30	50	do	s60	24½
1,000 N. Y. Cen. R. R.	100	100	do		24½
1,000 R. W. & O. R. R. 6s	70	100	do		24½
10 Panama R. R.	150	100	do	s10	24½
10 do	150	100	do	s30	24½
15 Am. Ex. Bank Scrip	103	100	do	s30	24½
10 do	b5	100	do	s30	24½
10 Panama R. R.	150	100	do	b30	24½
10 Merchants Bank	80	50	do	s30	24½
10 U. S. Trust Co.	130	50	do	s30	24½
200 Canton Co.	35	100	do	s30	24½
		100	Reading Railroad		69
50 Cumb'd Coal Co.	b3	100	do	b30	71
50 do	s30	100	do	b30	71½
100 do	30	100	do	s30	72
100 do	30	100	do	s30	72½
100 do	30	100	do	s30	72½
100 do	30	100	do	s30	72½
100 Hud. Riv. Railroad	23	50	do	s30	72½
50 do	23	100	do	s10	72½
200 Nic. Transit Co.	1	100	do		72½
100 do	1	100	do	b30	72½
100 do	s30	50	Harlem Railroad		21
100 do	s30	100	do		21
100 do	1	100	do		21
100 do	b30	25	New-Haven R. R.		85
200 Illinois Cen. R. R.	99				

SECOND BOARD.

$3,000 Erie Income 6s	85	50	N. Y. Cen. R. R.		90½
1,000 Ill. Cen. R. R. 8s	95	100	Reading Railroad	s30	71
2,000 Cumberland Coal Co.	30	100	do	s30	72
100 do	30	100	do	s30	72½
100 do	30	100	Erie Railroad	s30	24
100 do	30	100	do		24
100 do	30	100	do		24
100 do	30	100	do		24
100 Hud. Riv. Railroad	23	50	do	s30	24
50 do	23	100	do	s10	24
200 Nic. Transit Co.	1	100	do	b30	24
100 do	1	100	Harlem Railroad		21
100 do	s30	100	do		21
100 do	1	100	do		21
100 do	b30	45	New-Haven R. R.		85
200 do	1				

TUESDAY, Oct. 10—P. M.

The annual election of Directors for the New-York and Erie Railroad excited much interest this morning, it being understood that the ticket in opposition to part of the old Board, as announced in the DAILY TIMES, would be adhered to by the principal parties who formed and circulated it yesterday. The election was held at the general business office of the Company, foot of Duane-street. The attendance was large, and the proxies numerous. There was some challenging of votes on the score of irregularity, and certain legal points touching the proxies discussed; but we do not hear that there was any ill blood between the parties, and after it was ascertained that the regular ticket would probably command, as it did, a large majority, the opposition acquiesced with proper grace. The principal opposition appeared to be directed against Mr. NELSON ROBINSON, though Messrs. ROBERTS and CORNELIUS SMITH, of the old Board, were also left off this ticket. The New Board embraces all the names of the Old that were properly eligible, except Mr. ALANSON ROBINSON, of Buffalo, who has recently devoted nearly the entire of his time to the interests of the Road, but who finds it incompatible with his private business to serve another term, and so voluntarily declined reflection. Mr. SHELDON, Mr. MORRIS, and Mr. TOWNSEND, from late private embarrassments, were left off both the tickets with their own assent. There was a fifth vacancy from the decease of Mr. E. C. WEEKS. The following gentlemen compose the New Board, the names of the new Directors elected this year being in *italic*:

Messrs. Homer Ramsdell, of Newburg, and Samuel Marsh, William E. Dodge, Shepherd Knapp, Cornelius Smith, Marshall O. Roberts, Charles M. Leupp, George F. Talman, Nelson Robinson, and Daniel Drew, of New-York; John Arnot, of Elmira, Ambrose S. Murray, of Orange, *D. A. Cushman, William B. Skidmore, Louis Van Hoffman, Charles Moran,* and *Ralph Hoods*, of New-York.

The shares of the Company which fell to 42 ⅌ cent. before the early Board, rose in the afternoon, after the result of the election was known, to 44 ⅌ cent. The ostensible objection to Mr. ROBINSON was that he is a member of the Stock Exchange. His friends in the Street rallied to his support, not so much because of this attempted proscription, but from a sense of justice due to his large private risks and advances on account of the Road in its hour of pressing need. The want of harmony among part of the Stockholders, while it was a subject of regret pending the election, will, it is hoped, ultimately result in good to the Road. The members of the Direction, old and new, will feel the importance of making its economical administration and the elevation of its credit paramount to all private interests. Two of the members, Mr. MORAN and Mr. VON HOFFMAN were selected, we understand in compliment to the Continental Bond and Stockholders.

The Stock Market closed with steadiness at the Second Board. The principal fluctuation of the day was in Reading Shares, of which large parcels were forced on sale from Philadelphia, and prices at one time fell as low as 71½ ⅌ cent.—yesterday morning they were at 74—but left off at 71½@72. Illinois Central Bonds were ½ ⅌ cent. lower than yesterday, and Erie Incomes ½ ⅌ cent. higher. The aggregate business of the day was only a moderate one. The Stock houses were generally easy in their money affairs, and demand loans had, when wanted on approved collateral, at 7 ⅌ cent. Discounts at Bank, however, are still difficult, rendering the necessities of the Street negotiators somewhat pressing at 12 ⅌ cent. on first class paper. There is a good deal of intrinsically fair paper, but not generally known as first class, shaved at 15@16 ⅌ cent. Under the Bank Averages, published this morning, and the semi-monthly income of Gold from California, the feeling appears to be that the minimum of the Specie has been reached for the present. The amount going to the Boston Steamer this afternoon is about $400,000.

It was somewhat difficult yesterday to catch the real tone of the Foreign Exchange market, for the Boston steamer. French bills being sought for at the top rates, while Sterling varied from 109½ to 110 for Bankers' names. We hear to-day that large sums of the latter were sold at 109½ from first hands, and, in one or more cases, at 109¼@½ by outside parties.

In our last paper, we noticed, at the request of a private correspondent, a rumor that the KNICKERBOCKER BANK, located on Eighth avenue, had been injuriously confounded with the exploded EIGHTH AVENUE BANK. In doing so, and in adding that the former had not been suspected of failing, we were not aware—and had no reason from the note of our correspondent, to suppose—that the Bank had—no longer ago than yesterday—become so large a party in its dealings with the Clearing House, where the interexchanges of all the City Banks are conducted, as to lead to an examination of its affairs by one of the Clearing Committees of the House. This, we now understand was the case on Monday, and the result is that the KNICKERBOCKER BANK from and after to-day is to be suspended from the Clearing House, action dictated by a general vote of the associated Banks. The consequences are not, to be sure, necessarily a failure in its obligations to the public, but we are thus particular in stating all the facts, to set right a paragraph of yesterday which we should not have written, had they been known to us. The circulation of the Knickerbocker Bank, according to the official Bank Averages of last week, is $69,194; the Deposits, $200,205; Loans and Discounts, $307,146. The circulation is secured at the Bank Department at Albany by New-York State and United States Stocks.

The Exports of Domestic Produce to Foreign countries, from this port, for the month of September, as made up at the Custom House, amounted to $3,772,124. The export of Gold and Silver, $4,547,104. There was reexported during the same month, *Foreign Merchandise* to the value of $845,502. We are now enabled to bring up our comparative monthly tables of Exports, which were delayed for the want of the September returns, when we published our last import table.

EXPORT DOMESTIC PRODUCE FROM NEW-YORK.

	1854.	1853.
January	$5,304,000	$2,995,000
February	5,401,000	4,228,000
March	5,563,000	4,795,000
April	4,570,000	4,324,000
May	5,524,000	4,186,000
June	4,898,000	5,057,000
July	3,768,000	4,883,000
August	4,487,000	4,549,000
September	3,772,000	5,579,000
Total, 9 months	$43,289,000	$40,474,000

EXPORT OF GOLD FROM NEW-YORK.

	1854.	1853.
January	1,648,000	749,000
February	669,000	1,121,000
March	1,496,000	592,000
April	3,475,000	767,000
May	3,651,000	2,162,000
June	5,188,000	3,246,000
July	2,992,000	3,901,000
August	4,548,000	1,184,000
September	5,547,000	1,244,000
Total 9 Months	$30,263,000	$14,965,000

The Sub-Treasury received to-day $88,276; disbursed $67,064, and held at the close of business $6,802,187.

The earnings of the Macon and Western Railroad for September were, from passengers, $9,214 90; mail, $1,027 42; freight, $10,379 82. Total, $19,622 04. Corresponding month last year, $24,437 15.

Massachusetts Banks.—The following is a report of the condition of the Banks of Massachusetts, as officially reported on the 30th September:

LIABILITIES.

	In City.	In Country.	Total.
Capital	$23,463,300	$29,616,600	$54,005,940
Net circulation	6,049,600	11,641,411	15,171,220
Deposits	11,203,030	5,315,323	17,319,263
Profits on hand	4,049,650	2,341,397	6,390,659
Total	$53,561,545	$41,017,033	$93,886,276

RESOURCES.

	In City.	In Country.	Total.
Notes, bills, &c.	$50,097,928	$40,660,620	$91,548,143
Specie	2,245,350	603,501	2,848,850
Real Estate	617,310	452,543	1,069,853
Total	$53,056,945	$41,017,033	$95,667,279

The following will exhibit the condition of the Banks in that State on the 1st day of Oct, 1853:

LIABILITIES.

	In City.	In Country.	Total.
Capital	$22,571,000	$22,479,175	$40,050,175
Net circulation	7,169,478	11,728,202	18,891,684
Deposits	12,445,810	5,612,325	19,007,651
Profits on hand	2,628,479	2,076,655	5,099,134
Total	$52,817,769	$39,771,355	$91,588,794

RESOURCES.

	In City.	In Country.	Total.
Notes, bills, &c.	$49,678,904	$32,488,273	$82,167,177
Specie	2,291,155	440,610	2,731,765
Real Estate	617,310	452,545	1,069,852
Total	$52,817,369	$39,771,355	$91,588,794

The above exhibits, upon comparison, an increase since Oct. 1, 1853, of $5,036,767 in the amount of capital, of $1,251,719 in the amount of profits, and $4,316,366 in the amount of loans; and a decrease in the amount of net circulation of $720,614, and of deposits $1,368,488, and of specie $482,792.

The whole number of Banks in operation in Massachusetts is 161. Six of the country banks have omitted to make a return.

Usury Laws.

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

Your correspondent, C. B., observes in your paper of Tuesday, that "money is more universally diffused than any other property whatever. A most singular assertion. In looking over the Directory, I find the names of hundreds of grocers, butchers, tailors, shoemakers, &c., &c., but when I refer to the bankers, their numbers comparatively are most trifling. Money more diffused than goods, indeed!

On looking into my purse I find five dollars, but the value of goods I possess on me may be (including a gold watch I have not got) worth at least one hundred dollars. "C. B." is quite in error. The value of goods in the United States is worth billions, and is distributed in the hands of millions, but the amount of specie is comparatively a mere bagatelle, and is in the hands of the few; for instance, 56 Banks in New-York hold ten millions in specie.

C. B. seems fond of DEWEY'S remark, that money, like everything else, is worth what it will fetch! Why it is, C. B. does not state. He may as well say that a thief is worth what he has stolen. The law steps in at this point, however, and saves us from extortion. C. B. states that stringent usury laws always enhance the rate of interest. I am not aware of anything of the kind. J. P. H.

New-Haven Railroad.

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

SIR: So much has already been written and said as regards the fraudulent issue of the Stock of the New-Haven Railroad, and of the liability of the Company in acknowledging the overissue, either in the shape of Stock or of indebtedness, that it seems almost useless to touch further upon the subject, with any hope of convincing many of the original Stockholders of the legality and equity of the claims of the holders of the so called spurious Stock. The high legal authorities brought before the public on both sides of the question, either in writing or by speech, during the last meeting at the Apollo Rooms, have proved, in my mind at least, that nothing or little can be hoped from measures of conciliation.

The tenacity with which many hold to what they deemed their rights, refusing to listen to anything like argument or reason on the other side, prevented even a proper organization of the meeting, which ultimately, after three hours of useless bandying of words, was informally adjourned till the second Wednesday of November, at New-Haven. It is to be apprehended that, whether in New-Haven or in New-York, the same conflicting opinions and elements will again be in presence, and that no good can come of deliberations conducted as were the last at the Apollo rooms. What then was the stumbling block, will undoubtedly prove such again; the question as to who is entitled to vote will arise, and it is feared will produce similar results as before.

I am a holder of spurious Stock, but I am far from believing that all the holders of original Stock share the principles of law and equity advocated by the gentlemen who spoke as representing a large portion of the New-England interest. It is reported that out of the whole original stock, amounting to 20,000 Shares, the larger proportion is held in New-York, the rest being held in New-England and elsewhere. Whatever may be the principles and intentions of the New-York holders of the original Stock, certain it is, that no one was found, from among their order, to rise and advocate morally the principle of repudiation. May it not, therefore, be hoped, and not without cause, I trust, that a spirit may exist in the majority, which may lead them to entertain fairly the claims upon the Company of the holders of the overissued Stock, injured as they have been by the misdeeds of the person appointed by the Company as transfer agent? Actuated by this hope, I for one feel disposed to vote against at the next New-Haven meeting the right of voting, which I pretend to possess, and I would suggest, in order to facilitate the organization and deliberations of that meeting, that all the holders of spurious Stock should abstain from insisting upon this right, contenting themselves on that occasion, merely with entering a protest against any action of the meeting which may in any way invalidate their rights and claims. In noting this part of forbearance, an opportunity will be given to obtain the real sense of the majority of the undeputed Stockholders, and to form a correct opinion whether all hope of conciliation must be abandoned, and means of coercion be resorted to. It is evident that should means of conciliation fail, (and it is scarcely to be hoped for with unanimity of counsel as to make them succeed,) litigation must ensue, which in the course will probably hinder the operating of the road, if not stop it altogether, endanger or destroying the value of the property in prejudice of it belonging, and prolonging the time when that property can have any market price and pay to need to any available assets. This forbearance, if the adversaries on both sides, it is to be lamented, is to set for the general good of the interest they represent. On one point, I think, all will agree—that long litigation can but result injuriously to all parties concerned. I would, therefore, suggest to the consideration of the next meeting, as one of the practical means likely to point to the general benefit, to appoint a Committee, with the instruction to the holders of the spurious stock, similarly to appoint a Committee, with recommendation on both sides to agree to carry a suit, which would decide the case at least finally, before the Supreme Court of the United States. Thus there might be a hope of adjudication, at an early day, of this much vexed question, which would spare the already sufficiently injured portion of both good and spurious stock the necessity of being driven, by long litigation, into the uncertain position of the dispensator in the case, who each receives an money stock, the Judge swallowing the oyster. COMMON SENSE.

The Other Side.

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

YOU advise the Directors of the New-Haven Railroad Company to assume all the spurious issue of stock. You argue for the brokers, overlooking entirely the interests of the widows and orphans.

The Directors in the above Company probably own but a very small portion of the stock. If they assume the payment, or acknowledge the validity of the over issue, without decision of Court, they will render themselves personally liable; for the facts will not be disclosed until a legal investigation takes place. It may be that for a part of the spurious issue no value was given, and it may be held by the friends of SCHUYLER to sell and remit the proceeds to him.

The President of the Company stated, on Monday, that a large amount of the over-issue was not signed by SCHUYLER. It is a matter of great doubt whether he could appoint any party to act in his place. Who is to determine if not the Court? Rumor says that SCHUYLER borrowed funds of a party, and gave certain security for the loan. After the lapse of some weeks SCHUYLER gave the party a large amount of spurious Certificates of New-Haven Railroad Stock, as further security for the previous loan. If such be the fact, can the holder recover any part of such Certificates—as money being loaned on them?

It is high time that the law should settle the rights of parties who hold genuine and spurious Stock of this and all Companies, and if, as the law now stands, Companies are bound to acknowledge the over-issues of their Agents, the sooner the law is altered the better. And the books of Stock Companies should be kept in such manner as to render it easy to trace Stock, and it should be the duty of purchasers to examine the title of any stock they buy, as much so as if buying real estate—the examination, of course, would be simple, and going back only to last dividend.

If the Company assumes the over issue, the stockholders will not see a dividend for two years. Some doubt whether the road can ever earn more than 7 ⅌ cent. per annum on the original stock. Let no dividend be declared for two years, and those holding spurious stock can, in the meantime, sue and get decision pro and con.

A merchant cannot pay forged notes for a large amount and become richer by so doing; neither can a Company, although you and others have made the assertion. C.

New-York Cotton Circular.

For America.] NEW-YORK, Tuesday, Oct. 10, 1854.

Since my circular of 4th inst., we have advices per Canada, from Liverpool, to 23d Sept. The Cotton market was dull, and prices of Middling qualities were reduced 1-16d. ⅌ lb. The quotation for Uplands being 5d. ⅌ lb.; and for Orleans, 5 3-16d. ⅌ lb. There was no change in the Money market.

The operations in this market have been on a limited scale, owing chiefly to our very small stock on hand, particularly of qualities suited to the w